

SPORTS

GREAT GAME IS PROMISED

Wilmington High School Football Team Leaves Tonight for Raleigh for Game Tomorrow.

(By N. W. E.)

When the 7 o'clock northbound train leaves this evening, it carries with it the Wilmington High School football eleven, fifteen strong and each man in the pink of condition, in charge of Head Coach Shaw, Assistant Coach Little and Student Manager Andrew Harris, bound for the Capital City, where tomorrow they meet the powerful eleven of the Raleigh High.

Needless to say the football fans of Raleigh will be treated to a fine game of football between High School teams, for never in the history of the State has there been two High School teams as strong as these two. The Raleigh Highs go into the game with a record behind them of not having been defeated on their home grounds in the last eight years, which is sure some record to be proud of. The Wilmington Highs have only lost one game in the last four years outside of their annual game with Raleigh. The local Highs defeated Raleigh in 1912, thereby winning the championship of the State for that year, but have been defeated by Raleigh for every year since that time, and Raleigh has held the championship since 1912.

This is the first time in the history of the schools that the team have met previous to their annual Thanksgiving clash, and as it means the elimination of one of the teams from the championship race, a great battle is predicted. The team that wins this game has only Goldsboro High to contend with for the championship of the Eastern section of North Carolina, and as Charlotte is the best bet in the Western section, the only Goldsboro and Charlotte lie between the winner and the championship of the State. Raleigh has a great eleven this year, the team playing together for the third year with the exception of about three men.

The Wilmington Highs know what a hard game is out for them. Therefore, each man will go into the game with that do or die spirit that wins in any kind of game. The Wilmington Highs have the most powerful eleven ever gathered in the history of their school. Outweighing the small college eleven in the South, they have the right, grit and experience that is needed to take them through. The line from tackle to tackle will average about 175 pounds. The ends will average about 185, while the backfield will tip the beam at about 170 pounds to the man. The backfield has practically perfect interference which they demonstrated in last Saturday's game with Newbern when sweeping and runs would gain from fifteen to 30 yards. With Hall and Hill to stir the line, and Hays and Grant to do the line plunging and off tackle work, the Highs should gain consistently against anything Raleigh has. The only weak point as exhibited in last Saturday's game is the Highs' inability to use the forward pass, which heretofore has been one of the main dependencies of Coach Shaw. Much has been done in the past week to strengthen this department, and the team is in great deal better shape to meet Raleigh than they were to meet Newbern last Saturday, when Newbern was defeated by the score of 17 to 6. The defense of the team is well high impregnable, with Hagley and Grant, on the secondary, playing just off the tackle, and Capt. Hall to break up any attempted forward passes, while the line can readily be compared to a stone wall.

This team has the weight, speed, experience and fighting spirit, the Raleigh, and the Wilmington fans are watching the outcome of the game with eager eyes. Everybody is pulling for you, High. Visions of another championship loom up before us, the spirit of the "Downhomer" go with the Highs on this trip. "Down with Raleigh" and "On to Chapel Hill."

WRESTLING MATCH TONIGHT

Thor Olson, Who Lost to Kaiser in Norfolk, Will Meet Fritz Hanson. Thor Olson, who lost to Fritz Hanson in a wrestling match in Norfolk on Wednesday night, arrived in Wilmington last night and is ready for another round with Fritz. Olson states that he is here for a straight clean match and that while he expects to win, that whatever the outcome he will take his medicine like a man and promises a match worth while for admirers of this kind of sport. He hails from Pomeroy, Ohio where he is manager of a business men's athletic club, but has traveled extensively over this country as well as in Canada and Newfoundland and has had matches in England and France. He states that in 1912 he was wrestling and gymnastic instructor at Harvard University.

He has been in the business for ten years, he states, and in 1910 took the International waterweight belt which he still holds. It was five years ago when he wrestled with Hanson in Boston and Hanson was the winner. He thinks it will be a different story tonight.

Charlie Kaiser met Hanson here a few weeks ago and is about the toughest proposition that Hanson has been up against. Although winning from Hanson, the decision was disputed by local fans. Olson was thrown by Kaiser at Pickwick club in Norfolk Wednesday night on the first round in 23 minutes and took the second in 12 minutes while it required an hour and six minutes for Kaiser to secure the last fall.

TIGERS TO PLAY FORT CASWELL

Interesting Game of Football Promised at Hilton Tomorrow Afternoon. Tomorrow afternoon at Hilton park the strong husky soldier boys from Fort Caswell and the fighting Tigers, of Wilmington, will contest honors in a game of football, that promises to furnish plenty of interest to lovers of this sport. Both teams are in fine shape and a fast game is expected. Manager Lewis has been working the Tigers hard this week as he knows they will have to go some to beat Fort Caswell. From all reports, the team from the Fort is confident of victory. The game will start at 3 o'clock at Hilton Park. There will be no charge for admission but a collection will be taken to get money to pay the expenses of the game.

Wrestling Tonight.

Olson vs. Hanson, tonight, Woolwin Hall. (advertisement.)

CASEY WAS IN COURT.

Charged With Failure to Return With Proper Change—Gives Liberty. It wasn't Casey of baseball fame who was in the Recorder's court yesterday, but it was another Casey. The said his name was Casey Mitchell. He was black as the ace of spades and in one of the numerous colored boys in the city who are engaged on Sundays selling papers. Casey sold a paper to a son of Mrs. Ada Fowler, No. 103 South Second street, on last Sunday morning and not having the change for a dollar, took it from the boy with the understanding that he was to return with the necessary change. But nothing more was seen of Casey until he was locked up by a policeman and locked securely behind the bars of the city prison.

However, upon his getting up the necessary change, he was given his liberty after being warned by the court that such practices were very irregular and are punishable under the statutes which declare larceny to be a serious offense.

JAMES MCINTYRE, COLORED, HAD THE MISFORTUNE TO TURN IN THE WRONG MANNER ON FRONT STREET AND WAS SEEN BY A POLICEMAN. HIS FAILURE TO EXERCISE DUE CARE COST HIM \$5.50, THAT BEING THE AMOUNT LEVIED UPON HIM BY THE COURT.

Bertha Locking and Joe Wilson, colored, were charged with vagrancy but the court thought the evidence insufficient to convict and they were given their freedom.

ODD FELLOWS TO MEET.

Grand Lodge Officer to Attend Gathering at Vineland Next Week.

Grand Master Thos. L. Green, of Waynesville, and Grand Secretary B. H. Woodell, of Raleigh, will make addresses at the district meeting of the Odd Fellows of the Fifth district, which will be held with Columbus Lodge, No. 27, Vineland, on 9th afternoon and evening of November 11th. All of the Wilmington lodges will be represented at the convention. The counties included in the district are: New Hanover, Columbus, Fender, Sampson, Duplin, Robeson and Brunswick. An interesting programme has been prepared for the meeting.

Officers of the district are as follows: Supervisor, E. W. Moore, Wilmington; president, T. G. Landen, Wilmington; vice-president, J. A. Tudor, Boardman; secretary, M. C. Guthrie, Southport; treasurer, Dr. Ira W. Brown, Burgaw; sentinel, S. A. Matthews, Wilmington.

GOES TO JURY TODAY

Counsel Still Arguing in Case of Witte Damage Suit.

The argument by counsel in the suit brought by Sarah C. Witte, administratrix against the Atlantic Coast Line and the Schiess-Bear-Davis Company, was not concluded yesterday afternoon and the case will not go to the jury until today. Judge Daniels yesterday at noon overruled the motion of the defendant for a non-suit.

Ex-Judge E. K. Bryan, who represents the plaintiff, made the first address to the jury and will conclude the argument this morning. Thos. W. Davis, Esq., for the Atlantic Coast Line, and Herbert McLammy, Esq., for the Schiess-Bear-Davis Company, made addresses to the jury yesterday afternoon.

BRINGS SUIT AGAINST CITY.

Mrs. Leonora Tyler Seeks Damages for Injuries Received Some Time Ago. Mrs. Leonora Tyler, who was hurt some time ago when she fell over an obstruction on the sidewalk at Front and Castle streets, has instituted suit in Superior Court against the city of Wilmington through her attorney, K. C. Sidbury, Esq. No complaint was filed yesterday and the amount of damages she will seek is not known. An effort was made to adjust the case out of court but no satisfactory agreement was reached.

Suit was also started in Superior Court yesterday by W. H. Peden and wife, Annie L. Peden, against W. F. Webb and wife, Sadie Webb, and the Ford Auto Company. C. D. Weeks, Esq., represents the plaintiff. No complaint has been filed.

VALUABLE PRIZES OFFERED

For Boys and Girls Who Exhibit Household and Kitchen Devices. Eight valuable prizes are offered by Sorosis to the girls and boys exhibiting the best specimens of household and kitchen devices at the Corn and Agricultural Show this month. First and second prizes are offered to the girl exhibiting the best household device and also to girl exhibiting the best kitchen device. The boys are offered similar prizes.

Those in charge of this feature suggest as novelties of the household devices that may be made the following: Medicine cabinet, flower stand, porch swing, book shelf, book rack, plate rack and the following for kitchen devices: Fireless cooker, serving table, holder of utensils, cabinet for spices.

FAIR WEATHER TODAY.

Little Precipitation Over the Country is Reported. The local weather bureau in its daily summary of weather conditions yesterday issued the following:

The high pressure area now covers the southeast sections with somewhat lower temperature and light frosts are reported as far south as Georgia. "Temperatures are higher in the interior and north central sections due to a disturbance centering this morning in the upper lake region."

"Little precipitation is again reported. The conditions indicate generally fair weather for this section tonight and Friday; warmer tonight."

Wilmington Beeters to Speak.

Yesterday's Raleigh Times says: "Arrangements are being made for a series of meetings to be held at the Church of the Good Shepherd, of which the Rev. I. McK. Pittenger, D. D., has been the rector for the past twenty-five years, from Sunday, November 23, to the following Sunday, December 5. The services will be in the interest of the Men's Forward Movement. The ministers to participate besides the rector will be the Rev. William H. Milton, of Wilmington, the Rev. M. Walker, of Japan, and the Rev. R. W. Patton of Atlanta. All these are regarded as able leaders in the Episcopal church. Dr. Pittenger stated Thursday that more extensive announcements as to the details of the series of meetings would be made later."

Firm Makes Assignment.

L. D. Ganey and E. A. Ganey, partners trading as L. D. Ganey & Son, made an assignment Monday afternoon, naming Woodrow Kellum, Esq., as trustee. The trustee is directed to take charge of the stock of goods in the store at No. 19 Market street, dispose of same, and distribute the proceeds pro rata among the creditors after setting aside the exemptions allowed by law and payment of the expenses incident to the trust.

BUSINESS WASN'T GOOD.

Manhattan Opera Company Disbands After Several Weeks of Hard Luck. After having had several weeks of rather poor business which was not improved when the company came to Wilmington this week, the Manhattan Opera Company concluded to disband yesterday morning and there was no show at the Academy of Music last night. The troupe was playing at popular prices and those who attended the shows given by them here this week, were well pleased with the attractions presented by them. However, the attendance was far from being large and there did not seem to be any prospects of its increasing.

One of the singers left Wednesday for New York and last night several other members of the company departed, while there are still a half dozen more who expect to go today.

Quick Work Stops Fires.

The quick work of Wilmington firemen prevented two serious fires yesterday. At 10:30 o'clock yesterday morning, they were called to the home of Mr. W. C. Scarborough, No. 407 Queen street, where the residence had caught on the roof from a defective flue. The blaze had gained considerable headway but the damage was not great. Mr. Jürgen Haas's grocery store at Front and Walnut streets was the scene of another small blaze at 10:25 A. M. A match dropped into some excelsior started a blaze, which, however, was soon stopped without damage to the store.

MRS. SARAH COWAN DEAD.

Passed Away Yesterday Morning in Savannah, Where She Was Visiting. The death of Mrs. Sarah S. Cowan, widow of the late Col. D. S. Cowan, of Wilmington, who passed away yesterday morning at 11 o'clock at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Hull, in Savannah, Ga., will be learned with deep regret by many friends in this city. Besides her daughter in Savannah, she is also survived by one daughter, Mrs. W. G. Pulliam, and two sons, Messrs. Stone and Platt Cowan, all of this city.

New Police Uniforms.

The new uniforms for the 40 officers and men of the police department of the city have arrived and will be donned by Wilmington's finest this morning. Messrs. J. M. Solky & Co., are the contractors and the suits are comfortable and fit well. The caps worn for the winter will be of blue and they, also, are warm, comfortable and well made.

Contract for Hoisting Mill.

Mr. W. A. Simon, a well known Wilmington contractor, has been awarded the contract for the erection of the new plant of the Wilmington Hoisting Mills, which will be located in the southern part of the city. This plant will take the place of a plant which has been operated in that section of the city for over a year by Mr. John W. Kuck. The cost of the new plant will be approximately \$3,500. New machinery will be installed and other improvements made.

Warren's Turns the Tables.

It's a bad lane that has no turning, and the bowling team from Warren's bowling parlors turned the tables on their opponents from Capps' bowling parlors in an interesting contest of three games at Warren's. The winners scored 79 points to the good. Each team has one game to its credit and the third and deciding one will probably be held next Thursday night at Capps' alleys.

ENGLAND RESTRICTS SENDING MONEY TO THE UNITED STATES

100 Pounds a Week Is Limit From One Individual or Firm to Another.

London, Nov. 4.—The postoffice department has issued a circular advising the public that hereafter no individual or firm will be permitted to send more than 100 pounds sterling (\$500) weekly to any one person or firm in the United States.

During the recent period of demoralization in the exchange market money order exchange has been at much the most favorable rate for forwarding money to America as compared with the other channels of financial exchanges.

REFUSING TO EAT, CHINESE CONVICT DIES OF STARVATION

Refused Food at Atlanta Federal Prison for Nearly Two Months.

Atlanta, Nov. 4.—Tan Shi Yan, a Chinese, convicted in New York of opium smuggling, died at the Federal prison here yesterday of starvation, it was learned today, after refusing for nearly two months to eat. Relatives said Tan Shi Yan feared he would be killed by members of a Tong if he lived through his sentence of a year. He testified against several Chinese in a smuggling case in New York.

WILSON CALLS UPON MEN OF ALL PARTIES TO RALLY TO HIS

(Continued from Page One.) of the Manhattan Club, which was founded to save the Democratic party from threatened destruction. "When the club was founded," he wrote, "the Democratic party had been trampled under the feet of marching armies, its vitality arrested by division and defeat, and its principles obscured by battle clouds. I regret that I cannot be with you to rejoice in this occasion."

The President tonight changed his plans for tomorrow. Instead of leaving in the morning, he will remain until the afternoon and he and Mrs. Norman Galt, his fiancée, will take lunch with Cleveland H. Dodge at the latter's home here.

The President arrived here shortly after 3 o'clock, and spent the afternoon with Mrs. Galt. After the banquet he went to the home of Col. E. M. House to remain for the night.

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NATIONAL BANKS HAVE EXPANDED IN BUSINESS

Since Inauguration of Federal Reserve System

Resources Since September 12, 1914, Have Increased Over \$753,000,000—Statement of Comptroller Williams.

Washington, Nov. 4.—Substantial expansion of the business of National banks since the inauguration of the Federal Reserve system is shown in a statement issued today by Comptroller of the Currency Williams, based on the returns of the 7,613 National banks of the United States to his call for their conditions September 2.

"The total resources of these banks on September 2," says the statement, "exceeded by more than \$424,000,000, the greatest resources ever shown by any previous call in the history of the National banking system, and amounted to \$12,267,090,429. The increase in resources over the call of June 22, 1914, was \$471,000,000. The increase in resources over the call of September 12, 1914, was over \$753,000,000.

"Loans and discounts including letters of credit and customers liability on account of acceptances, amounted to \$6,825,000,000, being an increase over the June statement of \$165,000,000 and showing an increase compared with September 12, 1914, of \$425,000,000. Total deposits amounted to \$9,229,000,000, exceeding by \$387,000,000 the highest amount over previously called and being \$408,000,000 in excess of the total deposits in the June statement."

KILLED GERMAN PRISONERS.

Description of Acts in Reported Russian Colonel's Report.

Berlin, Nov. 4. (by wireless to Sayville).—What purports to be a copy of a Russian colonel's report to the commander of the second brigade, Baron von Stempel, in which the killing of German prisoners by Cossacks is described, is printed by the Frankfurter Zeitung. It reads:

"We were attacked by infantry on the road from Bameyhal to Naryurki. The second company, under Tyurin, and the fourth company, under Jassaul, Frankow, attacked the enemy. When the Cossacks escorted German prisoners of the 175th infantry regiment heard their attacking comrades yell they killed the prisoners, because they considered it necessary to participate in the attack."

KILLED BY SOUTHERN TRAIN

Funeral of Nellie Wyrick, 11 Years Old, Held Yesterday.

(Special Star Correspondence.) Greensboro, N. C., Nov. 4.—The funeral of Nellie Wyrick, the eleven-year-old girl who was killed yesterday by a Southern passenger train, was held at her home here today. After the accident yesterday morning, the body was brought here and prepared for burial. Other children who were with the girl on her way to school when the accident happened do not agree as to how the accident happened. Her brother who was behind and had the best opportunity of seeing the tragedy said that his sister ran up the bank to avoid the train, and then fell backwards down the decline. She was struck by the cylinder of the engine.

MILEAGE BOOK CASE TO BE DECIDED BY SUPREME COURT

Question Whether Railroads Can Seize Non-Transferable Books.

Washington, Nov. 4.—The question of whether a railroad has the right to confiscate non-transferable mileage books when presented for transportation of others than the original purchaser was presented today to the Supreme Court for decision. The Southern Railway Company is seeking to set aside a judgment rendered against it in the South Carolina courts for having declared forfeited a mileage book marked "non-transferable" bought by Samuel J. Campbell, of Greensboro, N. C., and presented by Campbell to a conductor for the transportation of Campbell's wife.

YUAN SHI KAI FATHER OF 31

Sixteenth Son to the President of China Has Been Born.

Peking, Nov. 4.—The sixteenth son of President Yuan Shi Kai was born today. The President now has thirty-one children.

CONVOCAION IS CONCLUDED

Episcopal Clergymen and Others Hold Interesting Two Days' Session at Southport.

(Special Star Correspondence.) Southport, N. C., Nov. 4.—The Convocation of Wilmington, which met here Tuesday night and held its sessions during Wednesday and today, completed its series of very interesting meetings tonight with the sermon of Bishop T. C. Darst, before a congregation filling the church.

The sessions during each day were well attended by outsiders, and the exercises were enjoyed. The conferences of the several church orders led and conducted by the women have been of special interest, while the sermons and addresses delivered by the preachers in attendance have attracted many from other churches here, the convocation being open to all.

Besides Bishop Darst, there have been among the clergy present: Rev. W. H. Milton, St. James, Wilmington; Rev. B. F. Hulse, Christ Church, Newbern; Rev. J. M. Robinson, Goldsboro; Rev. J. H. Griffith, Kingston; Rev. T. P. Noe, W. R. Noe, J. L. Showell, E. de F. Hield, Wilmington.

HOSPITALS FOR TUBERCULOSIS

Albany, N. Y., Nov. 4.—Telegrams announcing that voters of five New York counties at the elections Tuesday had approved plans to erect tuberculosis hospitals were read before the joint meetings of the North Atlantic tuberculosis Conference and the New York State Tuberculosis Conference here tonight. When completed the hospitals will increase the capacity of such New York state institutions 10 per cent. Governor Whitman welcomed the delegates and gave his endorsement to the anti-tuberculosis campaign.

CONFESSES FORCES OF ENEMY ARE SUPERIOR

Is Berlin's View of Premier Asquith's Speech.

"Strange Mixture of Common Place Facts, Excuses, Disguised Avowals of Shortcomings" Is Way Dispatch Puts It.

Berlin, Nov. 4. (by Wireless to Sayville).—The Overseas News Agency today made public the following concerning the speech of Herbert H. Asquith, the British premier, in the house of commons, last Tuesday.

"Prime Minister Asquith's speech, which for several days before it was delivered had been announced with much ado by all the English, French and other allied papers, turned out to have been a collection of flat truisms and glittering generalities.

"Mr. Asquith by bashfully repeating that his speech was no defense, merely provides that he feels he is in the position of a defendant who throws himself upon the mercy of the court. Mr. Asquith's intention apparently was to demonstrate to the English and allied nations how much English had done in the war, but since he was unable to show how much England had achieved in the war, he merely pointed out the efficiency of the Central Powers and their successes.

"Mr. Asquith solemnly stated that the Germans had not advanced on the west front, which translated into plain language, means that the much exalted Anglo-French offensive failed completely. Is he unaware of the fact that the question may be asked Where is the English navy which in several times superior in number of ships to the German navy?

"Mr. Asquith's slight of hand, however, is unable to juggle away England's critical financial position, and, although he tries to smoothly slide over this confession, nobody in the world will be deceived by his words nor by the awkward explanations given for the utter failure of the entente powers' diplomacy in the Balkans, where the much-advertised English protection of small neutral states was justly valued and answered by the small Balkan nations.

"Mr. Asquith's speech which, as he himself confessed, was made under a clouded sky, is a strange mixture of common place facts, excuses, disguised avowals of shortcomings and juggling with statistics. As the entire German press points out, the speech has caused observers of the war to reach the conclusion that Mr. Asquith indirectly made it in order to acknowledge the superior force of England's enemies and to confess his own inability to deal effectively with the present problems."

ARTHUR COPPELL IS PRESIDENT OF DENVER & RIO GRANDE R. R.

His Election May Mean Differences Among Banking Interests.

New York, Nov. 4.—Arthur Coppel, of the New York banking house of Maitland, Coppel & Company, was today elected president of the Denver & Rio Grande Railroad Company, succeeding Benjamin F. Bush, at a re-organization meeting of the road's directors. His election is believed to foreshadow serious differences between important banking interests now in control of the Missouri Pacific Company and the Gould interests, which have strengthened their hold on Denver & Rio Grande as a result of the election.

LIQUOR LAW UPHOLD.

Florida Supreme Court Votes, 3 to 2, Favoring Its Provisions.

Tallahassee, Fla., Nov. 4.—The State Supreme Court, by a vote of 3 to 2, today upheld provisions of the recently enacted state liquor law which prohibits sale of liquor between 6 P. M. and 7 A. M., and forbids its sale in less than half pint quantities.

The decision, regarded as a test case, was made on the appeal of Adolph Prieha, convicted in Jacksonville for violating these two provisions of the law. Li quor interests stated today's decision means discontinuance of approximately half the saloons in Florida unless it finally should be taken to the United States Supreme Court, and there revoked.

RIDDER'S FUNERAL HELD.

New York, Nov. 4.—The funeral of Herman Ridder, publisher of the New York Staats Zeitung, was held today in the Church of the Blessed Sacrament.

The Rev. Father George Winkler, of Kersey, Pa., a boyhood friend of Mr. Ridder, celebrated requiem high mass and Cardinal Farley took part in the ceremonies. The publishers' association of New York City today sent to Mr. Ridder's relatives a resolution paying tribute to his memory, his stern integrity and upright life.

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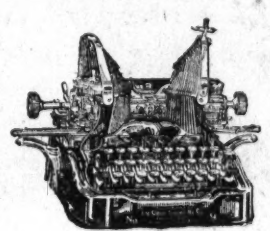
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TOP OF THE MORNING

"Two women were writhing together in the field." "One was taken and the other left." So it is that our daily work brings us into close contact with our brothers and sisters. Together! Hand to hand, and face to face. If one is taken and the other left, who's to blame? If the "one" had been faithful, would the "other" have been left?

—A. H. R.

Maryland! Oh, my, or me, Maryland! Suppose they Bagdad, what will they do to and?

Evidently the voters in New York state did not want a Republican made constitution.

After all, it was Tammany that carried the main part of New York. We have with us again the Tiger.

November 25 will see the finish of turkey in spite of the valor of the Turks.

Charleston is pulling for an army aviation school, and some of us who want an aviation education may have to go to Charleston to get it.

A tolerant man is one who agreeably entertains his own opinions and is courteous enough to let others indulge in a few ideas of their own.

Competition is the life of trade among live business men. One rule of competition is that the fittest survive. Most complaints against competition come from those who doubt their ability to measure trade lands with all comers—especially peddlers.

One exchange says: "All the merchants are overrun with business." Another says: "Saturday was the dulllest this town has ever seen." If you were a town, which item would you like to see left out of the home page? When it is dull, the home folks know it, so what's the use of making it known to others who don't even suspect it?

Economy is the watchword. Retrenchment and reform is the slogan. That is what they are now. That is what they have been ever since they were born. They are just the same as they were when "grandfather's clock" stopped, never to go again. Probably grandfather's clock couldn't keep up with the times like economy, retrenchment and reform have done ever since the fathers of the republic left it for us to save from each other. We borrowed a lot of watchwords and slogans from them and we tell about it every time we want to get elected over some spendthrift who wants to beat us to an office and get the salary increased or to create a few more for their kindred and friends. We talk the ox-cart language till we get an office and then we find out that the country is growing, expenses are increasing and everybody wants an education and an automobile.

The New York American is responsible for the statement that an English sparrow in Woodland Park, Seattle, whipped an ostrich that started something with the pugnacious sparrow. On this occasion, however, the sparrow had helped itself out of a pan of whiskey tonic set out in the park by a 22 American eagle which has been an invalid for sometime. Believe me, that cocky sparrow should be sentenced to 30 days in one-quarter territory.

The always vivacious and entertaining Norfolk Virginian-Pilot decries "the adulation which some of our brethren of the press are emptying upon the already swollen head of Bryan." Well, huh, we thought it was the other way. We have often wondered how the Nebraskan could keep from regarding himself as the great American Jeff, against whom the unbridled press mutters in union. Seems as if it'll all be news to the Colonel about emptying adulation all over him till he can't see his way to go home.

THE NEW PROSPERITY

A well posted man stated a few days ago that he had been to many places North and South during the past sixty days and that generally speaking he had never seen more real prosperity. However, when he reached non-productive sections and nonindustrial cities he noticed such a strange contrast that he concluded that prosperity must be a freak and only existed in spots.

The spots are to blame, however, for prosperity, exists in wonderful proportions in the large industrial and commercial centers where the activities are intense. In such centers it is fully recognized and they are wondering how long it will stay, hoping, of course, that it is here for good.

In Pittsburg, for instance, the People's National Bank discusses "The New Prosperity" and in a circular which it sends out, the question is asked "How Long will the new prosperity last?" The bank answers its own question in part as follows:

"The answer to such question, the bank says, is always a matter of individual temperament. At the present time there seems to be a larger number of persons who have confidence in a fairly long run of industrial and commercial activity than could be found three or four months ago. Last spring, when munition orders were first being placed in considerable volume, the impression was strong that activity in the United States was entirely dependent upon the duration of the European war. At that time some of our crops were yet to be made—some of them yet to be planted. Transportation interests were still greatly depressed. The railroads were carrying \$750,000,000 of equipment for which they had had no employment for a year. The South was very slowly recovering from the depression in its special industry. In the West business was 'spotty.' Only the industrial sections of the east were displaying any signs of activity, and this recovery was based almost exclusively upon 'rush orders' from the foreign belligerents. There was no concealment of the feeling that an overnight change in the war situation would instantly change the business outlook in this country."

"Later on, when the prospects were that the deadlock between the belligerents would continue indefinitely, despondents in the financial situation restrained an spirit of optimism based upon our one-sided foreign trade. Demoralization appeared in the foreign exchange market, increasing the difficulty of conducting export trade. At the same time the unprecedented cost of modern warfare, necessitating billions of new loans, raised doubts as to the ultimate solvency of some of the nations if the struggle were prolonged to the stage of exhaustion. The stock exchange alone seemed to be thoroughly imbued with optimism, and at times operations thereon were so reckless that they were regarded as certain to bring disaster."

"Today, however, confidence is fairly well established that business conditions in the United States will continue active at least over 1916, regardless of the duration of the war, and many operations are now being based upon that belief. This confidence rests upon the foundation that we have harvested the largest crops, taken as a whole, in the history of the country. The foreign exchange situation seems to have been bridged temporarily at least by the notation of the Anglo-French loan, by the receipt of additional gold, bringing the total net imports for ten months above \$300,000,000 and by the negotiation of smaller credits for Italy and probably by Russia."

"In addition to the foregoing factors, which have a direct bearing upon our external trade, there are others which will have an equally direct bearing upon our internal commerce. Among these may be mentioned the necessities of our railroads, which had begun to be curtailed a year before the outbreak of the war and which continued to accumulate during the first half of 1915. Thus we notice that a great bank in one of this country's greatest industrial cities foresees prosperous times not because of the war but in spite of it, for the underlying cause of it is not war business but real business. Not even for the sake of politics are the great northern papers denying widespread prosperity. They are all boosting it."

FEAR SHIP Famine.

Troop movements in Europe are requiring about all the available shipping belonging to the Allies, while, of course, there is no German merchant marine on the high seas to aid in moving the world's commerce. In New York shipping circles note is taken of the fact that additional tonnage is being requisitioned by the belligerents to meet war operation needs and to fill the gaps left by wastage resulting from hostilities. With the large amount of shipping sent to the bottom by German submarines or captured or destroyed by Great Britain and other belligerents, it is the opinion in New York that there is a strong possibility of a world-wide ship famine after the war. According to the New York Journal of Commerce, it is conceded that, while Great Britain will retain supremacy in number and tonnage of vessels, with the close of the war there is likely to be a thorough rearrangement of the rank of the other nations, especially the neutrals, in the list of world tonnage.

Up to the middle of October the aggregate tonnage which was known to have been destroyed in war operations reached 1,500,000 gross tons. German vessels either captured or sunk by the Allies up to the same date numbered 502, of 1,220,202 tons gross, of which approximately 670,000 tons gross were German vessels seized by the British.

American shipyards report the greatest volume of new construction orders they have known for years, but, capacity being limited, they are taking few orders for tonnage, delivery on which is required before the last quarter of 1916 or the first half of 1917. British shipyards, the chief source of the world's tonnage for many years, owing to demands made by the Admiralty and the War Office in the first nine months of this year, suffered a decline of more than 50 per cent in their aggregate output of new merchant ships. Official figures, just made public, show that up to the end of

September, the British shipyards had launched merchant ships, excluding vessels of less than 100 tons, aggregating only 562,240 tons, or at the rate of about 62,500 tons per month, whereas during the three years preceding the outbreak of the war, their average monthly output on the same basis was 150,000.

Shipping men point out that on this basis, the production of new merchant tonnage at British yards, does not at present equal the wastage due to natural causes and a small part of the losses due to operations of war. There is thus created already a shortage of merchant tonnage, which is, of course, greatly intensified by the continuous process of requisitioning of ships for military purposes. A semi-official estimate recently given out states that no less than 1,500 vessels, including trawlers for mine-laying, etc., had been requisitioned by the British government.

This accounts for the boom in ship building in the United States. It is a pity, however, that we do not have more and larger shipyards in this country. Quite naturally after the war is over, there will be tremendous demand for new ships. It is bound to be the greatest ship building era that the world has ever known.

STATE HIGHWAY DEPARTMENTS.

South Carolina, Georgia, Mississippi, Texas, Nebraska and Indiana are the only states in the Union which have not yet recognized the need of a state highway department. North Carolina fell in line with the highway progressives at the last session of the Legislature and already there are signs of fine results. The demands made upon the department are so great that it can barely keep up with them as they come from various portions of the State.

The Hoosier State Automobile Association has sent out a circular letter in which it calls attention to the fact that Indiana is one of the half dozen of the 48 states that have no highway department. However, the association has gone to work in earnest in order to get the Hoosier State out of that class. We are surprised at Indiana. She will have to line up with the 42 states which recognize rural highways as an essential element of state progress and development.

By the way, our North Carolina county road authorities and good roads advocates should not overlook the fact that we have a State Highway Commission, with headquarters at Raleigh, upon which they may call for expert advice and assistance as to all phases of road construction and maintenance, the laying out of roads, drainage, the best materials to be used in different localities under various circumstances, etc. The county road authorities in every county ought at least to keep in close touch with the State Highway Commission.

A FARMER WITH A HOBBY.

A farmer with a hobby is a good man to have in a community, and because Mr. Will Edwards, of Lee county, North Carolina, has a hobby he is illustrated this week on a page of the Country Gentleman, the great agricultural journal published by the Curtis Publishing Company, Philadelphia. His hobby is growing sweet potatoes in the sand hills of Lee county, and Mr. S. R. Winters has written the Country Gentleman a most interesting article on Mr. Edwards' experience and success. Accompanying the article is a picture of Mr. Edwards handling a lot of fine potatoes classed as "leavings" from his 1914 sweet potato crop.

Two incidents, Mr. Winters writes, stand out in Mr. Edwards' farming experiences, both valuable lessons driven home by experience. It is stated that in 1901, when cotton was his chief crop, his yield from 21 acres was only seven bales, just a third of a bale to the acre. Owing to the expense of growing cotton for such a small return as that, Mr. Edwards was converted from cotton growing to crop diversification. He got all the experience he wanted in trying to grow cotton at a profit. He then began to grow sweet potatoes.

His other experience came in 1913, when he traveled all the way to Pittsburg, Pa., to interest commission merchants in handling the Southern sweet potato, which he has gone to growing in large quantities. He did not meet with much encouragement, so he returned home and created a local market. He determined to grow sweet potatoes for the market, and he has achieved success.

When the Lee county farmer first began growing sweet potatoes for market he was looked upon as a fadist. For fifteen years, however, he has supplied his own community as well as other towns throughout the State. He got up a reputation for his tubers and looked up markets for them. He has been at it for fifteen years and it is potatoes for him yet. He gets money on the crop in two ways. In the spring he sells thousands of potatoes to slips, of which he makes a specialty. In the late summer, fall and winter he sells banded potatoes and gets a good profit on them. By his method of growing and keeping sweet potatoes he finds that his crop costs him first-hand only 30 cents a bushel.

Meanwhile Mr. Edwards is all sorts of a farmer. On his sixty acre farm he also grows profitable crops of cotton, soy beans, dewberries and other fruits and crops. A plum orchard is one of his profitable enterprises which makes money while he waits only to pick the plums and get his money.

Nobody in Lee can hear any complaints of prosperity from Mr. Edwards. He creates his own prosperity. That is what all of us have to do, too.

MARKET STREET SIDEWALKS.

To the Editor of The Star: I have been much interested in the discussion of Market street sidewalks which has been appearing in The Star recently, and permit me to say that if "Market Street Resident" and "Subscriber" are satisfied with the Masterpiece (?) in yesterday's issue signed "Also a Subscriber," then they are more easily pacified than their articles would suggest.

To my mind the argument set forth by these two gentlemen remains unanswered. They desired to know why they, as well as others, had been forced to pay for laying sidewalks on the city property, when there were property owners on the same street who, although having received similar notice from City Council, had been allowed to go for a period of one year without making any effort to comply. This, in my opinion, is such information as any citizen could consistently expect furnished upon request without being told that the City Council had been lenient simply because they had more sympathy than those seeking information.

Sympathy is a great thing when properly applied, but if I understand the ordinance pertaining to this matter the day City Council adopted this means of securing good sidewalks, it became a law, and if it is the law then, too, would like to know why some people comply with the law and their neighbors are allowed to disregard it. There is no justice in any law which sets a standard for one man and another man's neighbor, then they are more easily pacified than their articles would suggest.

"Also a Subscriber" says it is "passing strange" that the ones interested should be so very familiar with these street corners and still not know to whom they belong. Not at all strange, my good friend; did you not know also that at least two gentlemen in this city claim to own the corner lots at that moment? Therefore, how can any man be expected to know whom they belong to? And besides, what difference does it make? I recall that when the time came for me to comply with the wishes of City Council I was greatly inconvenienced and told them of it. What did it amount to? Suffice to say, I borrowed the money the following week and the government went on its way.

Far be it from me to misjudge any man and if I should offend any one it would be my pleasure to offer amends and to apologize for the same. I take in such matters as this would be surrendering that which is dear to an honest but poor man—my opinion.

Again I want to say I heartily agree with the gentlemen who are endeavoring to have the law complied with and while on this subject I would also like to say that Market street is wonderfully blessed with public spirited citizens, and to hear me out I would remind the readers of this article that only a few months ago there stood on the same corner which has been referred to here a good many unsightly and unsanitary dilapidated old blacksmith shops that ever graced any Southern city. It was condemned by our efficient Fire Chief and the owner told to tear it down. He did it completely with that order. He hired him a lawyer and defied the Fire Chief to proceed with his duty and then it was that these good citizens stepped in and said, "If you only tear it down we will pay the cost of the work," and no doubt if they felt able the good people in that section would awake some day and find that the old blacksmith shops had been paved over by these same citizens.

CASTLE STREET PAVING.

To the City Authorities: The street (Castle) and sidewalk leading from Front to the Clyde Line steamship terminal is simply abominable. To make a good sidewalk will cost but little and will be greatly appreciated by the public. This is the kind of walk that will answer every purpose to wit: Spread generously clay some eight inches deep and level the block about three barrels of lime. Make the lime into the clay and give the surface not more than ONE inch slope to the curb and the worst rain that comes will do the work. When it dries out this pavement will be hard and NEVER again will it become soft. Now, do this, and every one of us who travels by steamship will vote for you next time, provided, of course, that in the meantime you are GOOD. TRAVELER.

CURRENT COMMENT.

Speaking of the fair at Raleigh, we have heard that Durham county had to pay for space for her exhibit, but cannot say that the story is true.—Durham Herald.

Barnum said a fool was born every hour in this country, but when the underwriters sought fools to buy the Anglo-French bonds, the supply failed—until the supply of bonds—Jacksonville Times-Union.

The business men of Wilmington will distribute \$500 in cash prizes at the State Fair, and the show in that city and this in addition to a large number of medals, ribbons and other awards. The list of exhibits also indicates that the people who go to Wilmington for the show will be given the worth of their money.—Charlotte Observer.

The Observer has secured some inside information in regard to the situation at the Pembroke crossing, about which the traveling men have been raising such a row, and it believes that within a short time relief will be forthcoming. We have at no time held an idea that the Corporation Commission was not "on the job," and when the facts are given the public it will be found that the Commission has been close behind the situation all the time. The matter was supposedly near the point of a satisfactory adjustment several days ago when the Coast Line and the Seaboard promised new schedules. The new schedules came on all right, but still no connection. Meantime, each railroad party to the perpetuation of this irritating situation for the traveling public is storing up for itself more or less future trouble in both jury box and legislative hall. Only one of the many ways some railroad have of doing that.—Charlotte Observer.

"PUPILS" BRING THEM IN

Those Being Taught in Moonlight Schools Influence Other Illiterates. (Special Star Correspondence.)

Kinston, N. C., Nov. 4.—Enthusiastic pupils in Lee county's moonlight schools are rounding up others who have just been given the chance to receive "the light." The enrollment, county education authorities believe, will be increased principally through their efforts. Many sensitive illiterates, approached by their own kind, are enlisting to receive instruction. The results of the sessions of the past two nights are already being felt. It is stated. County Superintendent Kinney is old enough to be the father of most of the pupils, and his influence is helping the cause greatly.

Great November Cut Price Sale

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Note Just a Few of the Special For Each Day

Wednesday

WEDNESDAY—10:00 A. M. and 4:00 P. M. will sell 200 dozen 10c Huck Towels, good, large size; splendid 10c values (limit 6); special half-hour sale, each 5c

WEDNESDAY—10:00 A. M. and 4:00 P. M. will sell Ladies' White Wool Sweaters; sizes 34 to 44; extraordinary values; half-hour sale, .95c Men's 6c Plain White Handkerchiefs; special, each 3c

12 1-2 to 34-inch White and Ecru Curtain Scrim with border on both sides; special, per yard only 7c

Friday

FRIDAY—10:00 A. M. and 4:00 P. M. will sell 250 Shepherd Check Suiting; remarkable values; several sizes; special half-hour sale, per yard 10c

FRIDAY—10:00 A. M. and 4:00 P. M. 50 dozen Ladies' 10c and 12 1-2c Handkerchiefs, embroidered corners; extra good values; half-hour sale (limit 6); each 5c \$1.00 White Muslin Night Gowns and Skirts; tremendous values, at 80c

Thursday

THURSDAY—10:00 A. M. and 4:00 P. M. Plain and Fancy Ribbon; marvellous values; splendid assortment; half-hour sale, per yard . . .15c

THURSDAY—10:00 A. M. and 4:00 P. M. \$7.50 Wool Fibre Art Squares, 9x12; big assortment colors and patterns; half-hour sale, only \$4.50 Children's 25c Silk Caps, big variety; special 19c

Saturday

SATURDAY—All Day—Special sale on Shoes; the greatest values ever offered on good, serviceable Shoes.

Men's \$4.00 Shoes sell at\$1.98 Men's \$2.00 to \$2.00 Shoes sell at\$1.50 Ladies' \$2.00 to \$3.00 Shoes sell at 95c Ladies' \$2.50 to \$3.50 Shoes sell at only\$1.98 Ladies' \$4.00 Shoes sell at\$1.98

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MEMPHIS OFFICIALS SUSPENDED FROM OFFICE IN OUSTER SUIT.

Supreme Court to Give Ruling Before Further Proceedings.

Memphis, Tenn., Nov. 4.—As a result of their "legal admission" of the charges made in the ouster suit against them, Mayor E. H. Crump, R. A. Utley, vice mayor, and W. M. Stanton, police judge, today were suspended from office by decree of Chancellors Fentress and Heskett. The suit against O. H. Perry, inspector of police, was dismissed.

The remaining commissioners—Geo. C. Love, Thomas Dies and E. H. Love—were not elected Mr. Love as mayor. The ouster suit against Sheriff Reichman was continued until January 5, by which time it is hoped to have a supreme court ruling on the case of the city officials.

The ouster proceedings were based on the non-enforcement of the state prohibition laws.

EDUCATING MOUNTAIN PEOPLE.

Is Declared Purpose of New Presbyterian Synod in Appalachia. Bristol, Va., Nov. 3.—Declaring that the principal purpose of the organization of the Synod of Appalachia now in session here is to promote the education of boys and girls of the mountains, Dr. Edward O. Guerrant, of Wilmon, Ky., tonight urged the synod to aid the mission workers in these regions to help solve the great problem of educating the mountain people. A standing educational committee on schools and colleges within the bounds of the synod was announced. Dr. L. Lynn Buchanan, of Sweetwater, Tenn., is chairman.

The ministers and laymen in attendance, will visit Stonewall Jackson Institute at Abingdon, Va., tomorrow.

WARM LUNCHES FOR PUPILS.

Club Women of Wilson to Take Movement Under Consideration. (Special Star Correspondence.)

Wilson, N. C., Nov. 3.—A movement is on foot to secure the assistance of the home economics department of the Woman's Club in providing warm lunches each day for the children of the graded school. The hours of recitation provide for a short lunch hour and the children are unable to go to their homes and are in the habit of taking lunch to school with them. Professor Haworth, of the high school, believes that warm lunches would be better and especially during the winter months and he has brought the matter before the women of the town. The entire subject will be given consideration at the next meeting of the home economics department.

Wrestling Tonight. Olson vs. Hanson, tonight, Woolvin Hall. (advertisement.)

Queen or Dairy Maid Ambition the Same

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WATERWAYS MEETING OF MUCH INTEREST

Big Delegation Will Contend For Link to Wilmington

Inland Waterway Project of First Importance—Savannah Ready to Entertain Elaborately at Convention.

Wilmington and this section generally will be well represented at the annual convention of the Atlantic Deepwaterways Association which will be held in Savannah, Ga., from November 9th to 12th, inclusive, and at a meeting of the executive committee of the North Carolina Waterways Association held at the Chamber of Commerce yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock, the delegates were formally announced.

The meeting was presided over by Mr. R. A. Parsley, president of the North Carolina Association, and Mr. L. E. Hall, president of the Chamber of Commerce, was also present, the delegates being appointed jointly from the two bodies. It is expected that the majority of the delegates that were appointed, after due consideration and largely because of their interest in this important work, will leave on the 4:45 P. M. Seaboard train Monday, although a number of those who will be unable to go at this time will be expected to leave Tuesday as the convention will be in session for several days.

Greater interest locally is being taken in the meeting at Savannah this year than probably ever before, largely due to the recent visit of Congressman J. Hampton Moore, president of the Atlantic Deepwaterways Association, and Congressman John H. Small, who addressed a public meeting at the Chamber of Commerce on the importance of water interest in waterway development and its great significance. The great inland waterway project which is proposed as far south as Key West, Fla., has been practically completed to Beaufort, N. C., and the next link for consideration is from Beaufort to Wilmington, sufficient pressure is brought to bear to warrant recognition of this link at the present time.

The advantages of the inland waterway are well known to the people of this section, which makes it all the more important to have the link to Wilmington completed, opening up a new waterway from the north. There is no doubt that the delegation from Wilmington will compare very favorably with the large delegations that have attended these different meetings from other important coastal cities, and have accomplished a great work for the project as a whole and their immediate section in particular. At the meeting yesterday it was expressly stated that any other persons in Wilmington who desire to attend this meeting and are interested in waterway development will be gladly appointed delegates or alternates in an event that some already named are unable to go.

The convention this year will be especially interesting, as the importance of this work is attracting a great deal of attention. Savannah is preparing a most elaborate programme and the entertainment alone will doubtless attract hundreds to the event. Savannah has been given prominence for years as the largest city on the South Atlantic seaboard, ranging among the first in importance as a business center and as a city of unusual beauty. All persons desiring information about this convention will be gladly furnished same at the Chamber of Commerce.

The delegates from Wilmington are as follows: Messrs. Hugh MacRae, W. P. Emerson, R. A. Parsley, L. E. Hall, J. L. Sprunt, Capt. Edgar Williams, L. B. Moore, T. B. Wright, J. H. James, C. C. Chadbourn, W. A. Sanders, M. W. Jacob, H. F. Wilder, H. C. McQueen, Walter Smallbones, D. H. Panton, M. F. H. Gouverneur, A. B. Skelton, W. A. Fennell, H. L. Hart, M. J. Corbett, Donald MacRae, E. P. Bailey, Thos. F. Wood, Geo. P. Cotchett, D. L. Gore, C. C. Covington, R. L. Henley, Louis T. Moore, Horace McCall, F. W. Garrett, M. D. Josey, H. McL. Stanford, J. G. McCormick, J. L. Doten, W. B. Cooper, F. H. Fechtig, C. D. Maffitt, F. A. Thompson, J. H. Cowan, Jno. E. Marchant, J. E. Thayer, G. Herbert Smith, F. B. Gault, Jno. H. Brown, H. L. Voller, J. O. Carr, C. C. Rice, Messrs. Harris and E. C. Wright of Boardman, N. C.

Those present at the meeting yesterday were Mr. R. A. Parsley, president of the North Carolina Waterways Association; Messrs. M. W. Divins, H. G. Smallbones, Capt. Edgar Williams, of the executive committee, and Mr. L. E. Hall, president of the Wilmington Chamber of Commerce.

BUSINESS IS BOOMING
National Cash Register Co. Calls Meeting of All General Agents.

Business is booming, declare the officers of the National Cash Register Co., and in order that they may plan for larger and bigger things as a consequence, a meeting of all the general agents, more than 300 in number, has been called to be held next week at Dayton, Ohio, where the plant and headquarters of the company are maintained. Meetings of the agents are held only at infrequent intervals and the calling of the present one is taken as a good omen.

Mr. Frank H. Parson, representative of the company in Wilmington, left last night for Dayton. He went via Raleigh, where he was to be joined by Mr. Harry E. Billings, representative at that place.

Operation in Richmond.
Many Wilmington friends will hear with regret that Mr. Peter McQueen, formerly in business here, now living at White Hall, Bladen county, is in the Johnston-Willis Sanatorium, Richmond, Va., for an operation. Mr. McQueen is accompanied to Richmond by his father-in-law, Dr. M. McTatum, of Mount Olive, and many friends hope that he will soon be restored to his usual good health.

An Official Visit.
At the stated communication of Orient Lodge No. 385, A. F. & A. M., last evening, it was a pleasure for members of that lodge, sister lodges and visiting Masons to have with them District Deputy Grand Master W. D. McMillan, who came on an official visitation. Masons all over the district speak of the administration of Dr. McMillan as being of the highest order.

Wrestling Tonight.
Olson vs. Hanson, tonight, Woolvin Hall. (advertisement.)

NAVIGATION AND PILOTAGE THROUGHS ATTEND OPENING TO HAVE OVER FIFTY FLOATS

Board of Commissioners Met Yesterday—Committee of Citizens to Aid in Adjusting Differences.

Wilmington, N. C., Nov. 4, 1915.
Regular monthly meeting of the Board of Commissioners of Navigation and Pilotage was held today at the office of the chairman, with the following present: Vice chairman, J. W. Harper, Commissioners H. G. Smallbones, William St. George, Thomas F. Wood and Clerk John T. Rankin.

The report of the monthly bar soundings committee and the report of the quarterly soundings committee were read and approved.
Application of J. F. Arnold for leave of absence for 60 days was granted. It was moved and seconded that Pilot John S. Sellers be excused from serving on the monthly sounding committee on the ground of his explanation, but warned against failure to apply for leave of absence in the future.

The chairman read a letter from Mr. Samuel D. Newton, first officer of the steamship "Osabaw," Philadelphia, requesting that the Commissioners appoint him a pilot on the Cape Fear river and bar. The chairman requested to reply that under the existing State laws it will be impossible to give him the desired appointment. Mr. Newton being at present on the ship, the Commissioners could not take any action on the matter.

The chairman reported the groundings of the British steamship "Moorthy" below Clark's island while in charge of Pilot Pepper, but as Captain Pepper is still on board he made no official report. Action with reference thereto was deferred.
The harbor master submitted his report which shows:

Arrivals 68
Tonnage 101,861
Fees collected \$168.00
Check to secretary \$34.00
It was moved and seconded that all foreign steamers arriving on and after November 1 shall pay harbor master fee of \$25, the fees from a greatly restricted commerce with the European war being inadequate for services rendered and for protection of ships in port. Also because the enormously increased rates of freight in the foreign trade, amounting to 400 per cent. increase in many cases, would justify this added expense while such conditions prevail.

The chairman said that he regretted to learn that the irrepressible conflict between the rival pilots had engendered much feeling on the part of the less-favored pilots, who complained of unfair and unlawful treatment by the more active set, whose espionage and persecution placed the weaker boats at a great disadvantage. The owners of these boats, already handicapped by inferior facilities, complained through Pilot Sellers, that the better boats, manned by the more active pilots, gradually blocked them by obstructing the river in their competition for a share of the business (thereby making the active pilots liable to the penalty of the Sherman law, which prohibits interference with the natural workings of commercial competition, tending to limit the volume of transactions for the advantage of a part of the persons engaged in the trade).

The active pilots on the other hand, represented by Pilot J. J. Adkins, maintain that the inactive pilots have not been regularly engaged in the duties of pilots, and that they do not share in the systematic routine prescribed by the board, nor do they make any pretense of being occupied in that work and they are absent from their duty, engaged in other occupations, or idling away their time until a favorable opportunity is presented for securing a ship by strategy to the prejudice and loss of those who are regularly engaged in their calling.

The chairman further said that he had requested the presence of pilots representing both factions, in order that a full and free discussion of the matter might be had, and if possible, a remedy proposed for this unfortunate state of affairs.

A lengthy and exhaustive discussion of the matter followed in which the chairman, vice chairman and the commissioners took part, also the two sides were represented by Pilots Morse and Adkins, respectively, who addressed the board by request. Vice Chairman Harper finally offered a resolution which was unanimously adopted, asking the chairman to request a committee consisting of H. C. McQueen, Hugh MacRae and Walter Smallbones to consider with the pilots representing the so-called active pilots and three pilots representing the so-called inactive pilots and if possible make recommendations to this board looking to the union of the discordant elements by an equitable adjustment of their differences, to which the two sides have agreed.

Vice Chairman Harper suggested that the matter of a special appropriation by Congress for building a retaining wall or jetty at Bald Head and for the removal of the shoal in Southport harbor which have been long desired, might be taken up again with the United States engineer in the line of public defense, and to this end the chairman was asked to confer with Captain Ridley at his convenience.

There being no further business the meeting adjourned.
JOHN T. RANKIN, Clerk.

His Father in Extremis

Mr. Charles E. Taylor Leaves for Wake Forest in Response to Summons.

Many Wilmington friends of Mr. Charles E. Taylor, president of the Wilmington Savings and Trust Co., will hear with deep regret that a telegram to him last night conveyed the sad intelligence that his father, the venerable Dr. Charles E. Taylor, of Wake Forest College, was in extremis and asking that he come at once. The telegram reached Mr. Taylor just too late for the neighborhood evening train, so he left at 9 o'clock last night in his automobile, going via Goldsboro, expecting to reach his father's bedside before the end. Only last Monday Mr. Taylor was at his father's home for an anniversary and family reunion and at that time Dr. Taylor, while feeble, was in his usual health. The news received last evening was a great shock and hundreds of friends hope that Mr. Taylor will find his father improved upon reaching Wake Forest.

No. Six-Sixty-Six

This is a prescription prepared especially for MALARIA or CHILLS & FEVER. Five or six doses will break any case, and if taken then as a tonic the Fever will not return. It acts on the liver better than Calomel and does not gripe or sicken. 25c.

Rush of Customers to Attend Sale of Belk Bros. Furnishes Ocular Demonstration of Prosperity.

Not since the piping days of prosperity before the European war have the people of Wilmington seen any such manifestation on the part of the general public to turn loose its cash as the ocular demonstration yesterday at the big store of Belk Brothers, on North Front street, the occasion being the inauguration of their big inventory sale, which opened at 9 o'clock and will continue for ten days or longer.

The store had been closed for two weeks while the Gaylord stock was being inventoried and the prices marked down to guarantee the sweeping reduction in the \$77,000 valuation of goods with which the new firm began business upon closing the trade recently with George O. Gaylord. The sale had been well advertised—the Belk Stores are expert in honest justifiable publicity—and when the doors swung wide yesterday morning the police had to be called out to prevent an untoward crush of eager shoppers. At intervals all during the morning and afternoon, the store doors had to be closed for some minutes at a time to prevent the crush being too great. Mr. J. C. Williams, who has been the busiest workman in Wilmington, ever since arrangements for this sale begun, said yesterday that the sales force would be increased today and two additional wrapping counters will be put in to take care of the rush that is expected to follow the sale, through to conclusion.

The sale had been awaited with interest by hundreds of people both from in and out of the city for several days and prospective customers from everywhere were on the sidewalks in front of the store yesterday morning when the doors were opened. This sale is being conducted to make room for new goods and prices have not been spared in any department to clean out the entire \$77,000 worth of merchandise taken over by the new owners of the establishment.

That Belk Brothers have instantly jumped into the public confidence of Wilmington and surrounding country was abundantly evidenced in their opening sale yesterday.

MRS. TOON COMMENDED

Many Newspapers Throughout Country of Tell of Her Work.
The efforts of Mrs. E. May Glenn Toon, of Wilmington, to secure the erection of fitting memorials to the late Miss Clara Barton, founder and first president of the American Red Cross, is attracting attention throughout the country. Mrs. Toon attended the recent Grand Army Encampment in Washington and received assurances from many people whom she met that they would be glad to back the movement. The following tribute and explanation of her work appeared last week in the Saline County (Mo.) Press:

"There are a few good women in the country who refuse to have Clara Barton's name eclipsed. Her work with the American Red Cross, which has softened and embellished the blood-red pages of war's history. And yet, in the great marble palace being erected for the great organization in Washington, there is no recognition given to Clara Barton. The Clara Barton Memorial Association is an active, going institution with headquarters in Washington, and a large number of people propose to provide a suitable memorial. Among the active workers is Mrs. A. Logan, who is the first vice president of the Association. During the Grand Army Encampment an earnest acquisition to the Clara Barton enthusiasts, came from the Southland, and the workers were delighted to welcome Mrs. E. May Glenn Toon, of Wilmington, North Carolina, who explained how she was working independently in her own locality, keeping fresh the memory of the immortal Clara Barton. Mrs. Toon exhibited some very handsome and clever book-lets and cards of her own design to use in carrying on the work."

The Fishing Was Fine.
County Commissioner W. E. Yopp, Capt. W. L. Berry and Messrs. J. S. Williams, Charles D. Ford and J. W. Fleet spent Monday and Tuesday at Corn Lake inlet near Southport and had fine luck catching fish of all kinds. The members landed a large drum, ranging in weight from five to 40 pounds and many blue fish. They made the trip down the river in Mr. Williams' launch.

MR. E. E. BLAKE ARRESTED ON A PEACE WARRANT

Mr. W. F. Gilbert Alleges That He Was Threatened Blake Goes to Jail.
Mr. E. E. Blake, who formerly conducted a hardware store in this city, was lodged in the county jail late yesterday afternoon following his failure to give bond in the sum of \$1,000, which was the amount named by Justice Bornemann in connection with a peace warrant which was issued by Mr. W. F. Gilbert, bookkeeper for Mr. W. D. MacMillan, Jr. Mr. Gilbert alleged in the warrant that he had been threatened by Mr. Blake and therefore prayed that he latter be bound over with surety to keep the peace.

The warrant was served by Deputy Sheriff Kelly and McKeay about 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon. The officers stated that Mr. Blake had in his possession at the time he was placed under arrest a 32 caliber U. S. pistol. He was taken to the office of Justice Bornemann, who named \$1,000 as the bond until a hearing could be held. Mr. Blake appeared to be very much excited about the matter and after an ineffectual effort to secure the bond was taken to jail and had not been released last night. It is probable that there will be a hearing in the matter today.

SOUTHERLAND & WEAVER

First Public Sale in Six Years Opened With Great Gratifying Results.
The first public sale conducted by Messrs. Southerland & Weaver, clothing and gents' furnishings, on Princess street, opened yesterday morning auspiciously at their store and a large number of customers during the day were well pleased with the many bargains offered in the well selected and up-to-date stock of this young and progressive firm. The store has been closed two days while the stock was being marked down to rock bottom and many tempting offers in high-grade, seasonable merchandise are being shown daily. The public is cordially invited to visit the store any day this week—before the earlier, the better.

Wrestling Tonight.
Olson vs. Hanson, tonight, Woolvin Hall. (advertisement.)

"Made in Wilmington" Parade Will be Big Affair—Merchants and Manufacturers Interested.

What will undoubtedly be the biggest advertising event ever to take place in Wilmington will be the parade to be given under the auspices of the Wilmington Rotary Club on Wednesday, November 17, during the Corn and Agricultural Show. It will be a "Made in Wilmington" parade and more, for many of the civic organizations and local merchants will have attractive floats.

Promptly at 11 o'clock on the second day of the Corn and Agricultural Show, the parade will form on one of the principal streets in Wilmington headed by the members of the Wilmington Rotary Club in automobiles, followed by the Hanover Concert band, the long line of floats, over 50 in number, and many of elaborate design, will move over the main streets of the city.

Preparations for the event have been under way for months and Mr. Thos. R. Ames, chairman of the Rotary committee, which has charge of the arrangements, feels certain that it is going to be the most imposing event of its kind ever seen in the City-by-the-Sea.

This will be just one of the many interesting features of the Corn and Agricultural Show. It was originally planned to have the "Made in Wilmington" parade in October, but it was decided that it would be better to wait for the Corn and Agricultural Show when thousands of people from New Hanover and adjoining counties will be here.

Those who have assured Chairman Ames that they will have floats in the parade are as follows:

Rotary Club, Hanover Concert Band, Atlantic Pain & Varnish Company, Asystodyne Chemical Company, Armour & Company, Atlantic Coast Veneering Company, J. Edwin Bunting, J. P. & J. O. Brown, Boney & Harper Milling Company, Gear & Company, Boy Scouts.

Chadbourne Lumber Company, Cement Products Company, Coca-Cola Bottling Works, Clark-Lynch Lumber Company, Cape Fear Oil Company, Cantwell Lumber Company, Cape Fear Machine Works, Carolina Metal Products Company, Delgado Mills.

Evening Dispatch, Farris Bakery, Farmers' Association, Ford Auto Company, Frost Ice Cream Company, H. L. Fennell's Autos, Fire Department.

Globe Baking Company, Greenfield Milling Company, Hyman Supply Company, makers; Harris Typewriter & Job Company, Housewife's League, Independent Ice Company.

Lasater-McDuffee Company's Autos, Matthews' Candy Company, Miss Lucy B. Moore, florist; Roger Moore & Sons Co., W. D. MacMillan, Mint Cola Company.

Princess Pop Corn Company, Pepsi-Cola Bottling Company, T. D. Piner, Priests, Brothers, makers of shoes; Pitman Basket Factory; Plate Ice Company, Police Department.

Wm. Rehder, Royal Baking Company, Seola, N. C., Carolina auto float; Standard Oil Company, Shepard Chemical Company, Southern Sign Shop, Swift & Company, The Morning Star, The Texas Company, Tidewater Power Company, gas stoves.

United Farm Women, Wrightsboro, Wilmington Iron Works, Willard Bag Mfg. Company, Wilmington Stamp & Printing Company, Wilmington Light Infantry.

The parade will form in line according to the alphabetical order as outlined.

HOLLY VS. ASSURANCE SOCIETY

Case From Local Court of Interest Decided in Raleigh Wednesday.
The case of J. C. Holly against the London Assurance Society, raised upon by the Supreme Court in the batch of opinions handed down in Raleigh Wednesday, is one of interest locally from the fact that the plaintiff was proprietor of the old Rock Springs Hotel, which was burned a few years ago and charged with the burning of which Holly was tried and acquitted in the Superior Court here. Holly carried an insurance policy of \$1,250 on his household and kitchen effects with the London Assurance society, which declined to pay the amount in the fire, this being a part of the whole amount of insurance carried. Suit was brought by Holly against the insurance company. The case was brought up at a recent term of Superior Court before Judge Rountree on a demurrer to the complaint, which Judge Rountree overruled, holding in effect that the case should go to trial. The Supreme Court decision, reversing the opinion, now reverses the lower court and the attorneys interested are awaiting the full text of the opinion to decide just what disposition will be made of the case.

It will be recalled that only this week an agreement was reached for a settlement of the case which Holly had brought against the insurance company to recover a policy of \$3,500, which Holly had upon the life of a ward, a boy, who was burned to death in the same fire. It is expected that the settlement reached between the attorneys will be ratified at the present term of Superior Court.

The following with reference to the Supreme Court decision just rendered is from yesterday's Raleigh Times:

"John C. Holly, incarcerated in New Hanover jail for about three years, came out at last, after attempting to recover by suit money alleged to be due on an insurance policy issued by the London Assurance Corporation. A provision of the policy was to the effect that the insured was to stop from suing under its terms after the expiration of twelve months after the date of the fire. The plaintiff attempted to avoid this provision by setting up the fact that he was imprisoned during the time stipulated, but the court holds that the limitation was contractual and not one which could be suspended by the disability which would operate to stop the running of a statute of limitations."

Real Estate Transfer.
Two deeds were filed for record yesterday as follows: Solomon Sternberger and wife to C. B. Parmelee, for \$100 and other valuable considerations, lot on the north side of Wooster street, 150 3-4 feet wide of Eighth 32 3-4 by 66 feet in size; Solomon Sternberger and wife to Marsden Bellamy for \$100 and other considerations, lot on the north side of Wooster street, 118 feet wide of Eighth, 32 3-4 by 66 feet in size.

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36 in. Gaberdine Stripes; 18c values, at 10c
36 in. Airdsle Cloth; 18c values, at 10c
36 in. Belgian Crash; 15c values, at 10c
32 in. Aberdeen Oxford Suitings, at 10c
36 in. Dundee Crash; 18c values, at 10c
Yard wide Silk Poplin, wool warp; all colors, at 48c
Yard wide Pure Silk Crepe de Chines; all colors, at 75c
Good size cake Floating Bath Soap at 1c

Extra Specials from the Gaylord Stock

Ladies' Full Size Muslin Gowns; nicely trimmed, at 17c
Ladies' Nice Quality Brassieres; all sizes, at 9c
Ladies' Real Silk Velvet Untrimmed Hats; worth \$2.00, at 95c
Ladies' \$10.00 Coat Suits; this season's styles, at \$6.95
Children's Rich Plaid \$5.00 Coats, at \$2.98
Men's 50c Dress and Work Shirts, at 25c

Sale Begins
Promptly at
9 A. M.

**BELK
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210 AND 212 NORTH FRONT ST.

Thursday,
Nov. 4th

SOCIAL and PERSONAL

An important meeting of the Carolina Yacht Club will be held at the Court house, Monday night, 15, at 8 o'clock.

Mrs. R. E. L. Brown, of Chadbourn, is spending a few days in the city, the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. A. Farley.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. GeBott, of Bolton, were in the city yesterday, having motored through the country in their automobile.

The Linen Auxiliary of the James Walker Memorial Hospital will meet this morning at 11 o'clock in the directors' room of the Wilmington Savings & Trust Co.

Mrs. R. J. Benton and sister, Miss Lois Allen, of Bolton, were in the city yesterday, having motored through the country with Mr. and Mrs. J. D. GeBott.

A party will be given at the Masonic school house tonight by the ladies of Masonboro Baptist church. Ice cream and cake will be served and the proceeds will be given to the church. The public is invited.

The finale to many attractions during the week of the Corn and Agricultural Show will be a dance on Saturday night, November 26. Mr. Paul Canwell is chairman of the committee on arrangements. There will be good music.

Yesterday's Fayetteville, Observer: "Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Sheets, their daughter, Miss Mary Helen, Mrs. J. F. Parker and Miss Nan Fisher left this morning for Wilmington, going through the country in the large Cadillac car of Mr. Francis Sheets, who is the driver."

Mr. Gilbert Kidder, brother of the late Mr. Geo. W. Kidder, is here from Seattle, Wash., for a visit to relatives and many friends. Mr. Kidder has not visited Wilmington for more than twenty years and speaks interestingly of the many changes that have taken place since he formerly resided here.

Friends in Wilmington have received invitations reading as follows: "Mr. and Mrs. William Nash Everett request the pleasure of your company at the wedding reception of their daughter, Lena Payne."

Mr. Isaac Spencer London on the evening of Thursday the 18th of November, 1915, from seven to nine o'clock at home, Rockingham, North Carolina. Enclosed are cards reading: "Ceremony at 6:45 o'clock."

Attractive invitations bearing the following pleasing announcement to friends of the popular young people have been received in Wilmington and elsewhere:

Mr. and Mrs. William M. Hayes request the honor of your presence at the marriage of their daughter, Pearl.

Mr. Henry Allen McCann on Thursday, November the eighteenth nineteen hundred and fifteen at half after five o'clock 122 South Eighth street Wilmington, North Carolina.

Yesterday's Baltimore Sun: "The ushers at the wedding of Miss Christine Marburg, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Th. Marburg, to Jonker A. W. L. Eijnde, van Markenburgh-Statenouwer, of Holland, now attache of the Netherlands legation at Washington, will include Count J. A. Z. van Rechteren-Limpurg, also of the Netherlands legation, and the Hon. J. Butler Wright, of Washington, and the following Baltimoreans: Mr. W. Donnell Stewart, Mr. Robert W. Williams, Mr. Edwin Varrault, Jr., and Mr. Robert W. Johnson, Jr. The Netherlands minister to the United States, W. F. L. C. van Rappard, will be the best man."

Invitations have been received in Wilmington reading as follows: "Mr. John Wesley Evans requests the honor of your presence at the marriage of his daughter, Ruth, Leland."

Mr. Needham Bryant Dozier Tuesday morning, November the 16th, nineteen hundred and fifteen at half after four o'clock Mount Olivet Methodist Episcopal church, Martine, North Carolina.

Enclosed are cards reading as follows: "Mr. and Mrs. Needham B. Dozier at home after December 1st. Nashville, North Carolina."

DAY-SYLVESTER WEDDING
AT RICHLANDS THIS MONTH
Friends in Wilmington have received handsome engraved invitations reading as follows:

Mr. and Mrs. Nathaniel Sylvester request the honor of your presence at the marriage of their daughter, Christine.

to Mr. Nere Elkus Day
Friday, November nineteenth at half after seven o'clock in the morning

Methodist Episcopal Church, South, Richlands, North Carolina.

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MANY TRIBUTES OF RESPECT

North Carolina Colonial Dames Honor Memory of Late President Mrs. E. P. Bailey.

An impressive memorial service was held in honor of the late beloved president, Mrs. Edward P. Bailey, by the North Carolina Society of Colonial Dames of America in the assembly rooms of the society, corner Fifth and Market streets, Wednesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

Mrs. Bailey was a charter member of the organization and had served as president since 1912 until the time of her death a few weeks ago. There was a large attendance at the exercises and many beautiful tributes of respect which had been adopted at a previous meeting were read by Mrs. J. Walter Williamson, secretary of the society, and a copy ordered sent to the members of the family.

The meeting was presided over by Mrs. A. M. Waddell, who succeeds Mrs. Bailey as president, having served previously as first vice president.

Mrs. Waddell gave a short sketch of Mrs. Bailey's work for the society, Mrs. Bailey was a charter member and served in a number of official positions, prior to her election as president.

Mrs. Waddell's tribute was one of tender love and devotion to a woman who was universally esteemed not only by the members of this organization but also by the people of the entire community. Tributes were also read from the different county committees throughout the State.

The meeting was opened with appropriate prayers which were read by Mrs. M. F. H. Gourveneur. The rooms were beautifully decorated with many floral tributes and after the meetings were taken to the cemetery by members of Mrs. Bailey's family and laid upon the grave as the last sad mark of respect for the Colonial Dames.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Messrs. M. Kahn and J. Friend, of Montreal, Canada, were registered at the Hotel Wilmington last night.

—Mr. J. S. Fulton, of Greensboro, was a guest at the Hotel Wilmington last night.

—Mr. F. H. Upjohn, of Raleigh, was a visitor in the city yesterday, a guest at the Hotel Wilmington.

—Mrs. J. R. Thompson, of Lake Waccamaw, was a guest at the Hotel Wilmington yesterday.

—Mr. F. B. Johnson, of Charlotte, was among the arrivals at the Hotel Wilmington yesterday.

—Mr. James B. Bardin, of Chadbourn, spent yesterday in the city, a guest at the Hotel Wilmington.

—Mr. Roy J. Spurrman, of Greensboro, was a visitor in the city yesterday, a guest at the Hotel Wilmington.

—Messrs. Harvey Boney and P. K. Teachey, of Rose Hill, were in the city yesterday, guests at the Hotel Wilmington.

—Mr. L. S. Nall, of Newbern, was in the city yesterday, a guest at the Hotel Wilmington.

—Mr. G. A. Barefoot, of Wilson, was among the visitors in the city yesterday, a guest at the Hotel Wilmington.

—Mr. M. H. Shoemaker, of Charlotte, was a guest at the Hotel Wilmington yesterday.

—Capt. E. E. Romne, of Fort Caswell, was in the city yesterday, a guest at the Hotel Wilmington.

—Mr. J. McRae Dalton, of Winston-Salem, was registered at the Hotel Wilmington yesterday.

—Friends will regret to learn that Rev. G. W. McClanahan is still quite ill at the James Walker Memorial Hospital, but will hope that he may soon be restored to his usual good health.

Charges and Counter Charges.

Lizzie Miller, colored, had a warrant sworn out yesterday against Perry Slater, also colored, charging him with the larceny of \$5 and the latter then swore out a warrant against the woman alleging that she had threatened him with a gun. The woman was figured in the courts several times recently and following her arrest yesterday afternoon by Constable Davis was lodged in the county jail. Slater was able to give bond and both will have hearings before Justice Harris today at noon.

LOCAL DOTS.

—Mr. H. H. Ford, of the United States Engineers' office, has received some interesting photographs of the recent slides in the Panama canal which were sent to him by Mr. W. D. Boone, formerly connected with one of the dredges in the government service here, but now chief engineer on one of the dredges in the canal. The photographs show that the canal was almost completely blocked by the tremendous upheaval of earth. Numerous dredges are kept at work day and night removing the dirt.

—On account of the absence of some of the members of the Tree and Park Commission, there was no meeting yesterday afternoon and it was postponed until later.

—Mr. Geo. W. Penny killed a 15-pound wild turkey yesterday morning, this probably being the first of the season.

—The British steamer Mooby was floated at high tide Wednesday night after having been aground since Monday near Big Island in the Cape Fear. She was loaded with pyrites and much of this had to be lighter from the vessel. The tugs Castor and Gladiator assisted in getting the vessel afloat. The steamer came to Wilmington early yesterday morning.

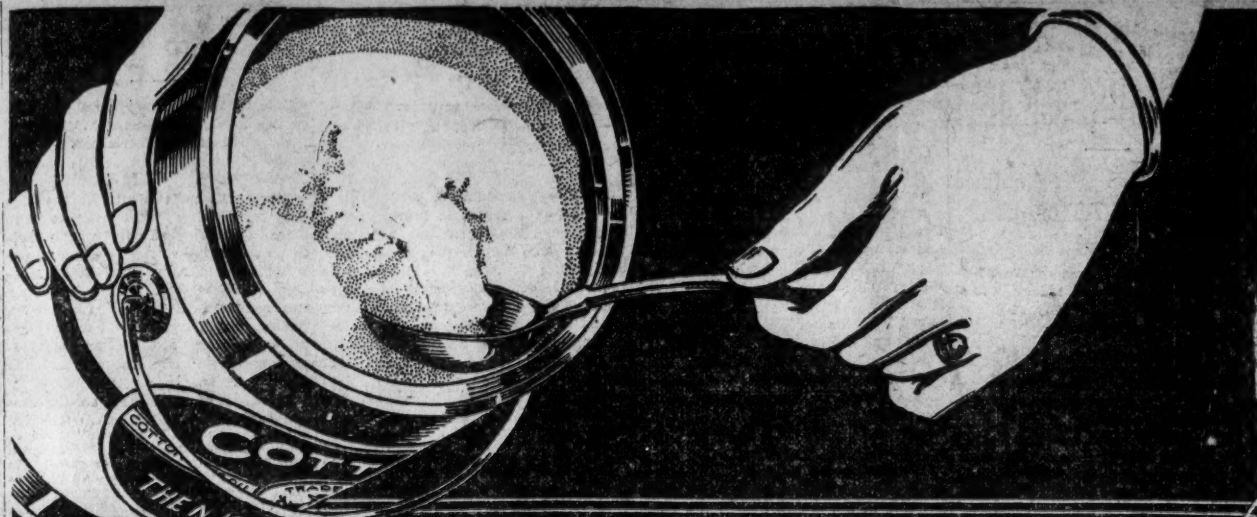
THREE HOUSES BURNED.
Confagration in East Wilmington Destroys Three Homes.

Three houses in close proximity to each other, each having four or five rooms, were burned to the ground in East Wilmington about 10:30 o'clock Wednesday morning. The fire started from a defective flue in one of the buildings and spread to the other two. As there was no water protection, there was no way to stop the fire. A chemical engine was sent from the Wilmington fire department, but arrived too late to be of service. The houses were owned by Mr. Fox and were occupied by negroes. The loss will amount to over \$1,000. The loss was partially covered by insurance.

The New Hanover News "Booster Period" closed last night at 9 p. m. The awards for the Booster Period, as announced by the campaign manager, Mr. J. G. Baird, Jr., are as follows:

Miss H. Louise Scholer, first prize, an Elgin gold watch; Mrs. Sol Jones, second prize, black four pillow quilt; third prize, Miss Beale King, pair of Queen Quality shoes, and fourth prize, by Miss Carrie Taylor, thermos bottle.

Wrestling Tonight.
Olson vs. Hanson, tonight, Woolwin Hall.



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NOTICE

Wallace, N. C., Nov. 2nd, 1915.
I have been reliably informed that my name has been assigned to an injunction against the Free Range People or County Commissioners of Duplin county. I give no authority to anyone and had no knowledge, directly or indirectly of my name being used in this way and I ask the esterase of my name to any such paper.
Respectfully,
D. E. BONEY.

KINKY HAIR

Although Dr. Exelento Quinine Pomade does remove dandruff, feeds the roots of the hair, and makes it grow long, soft and silky. After using it a few times you can tell the difference, and after a little while it will be so pretty and long that you can fix it up any way you want to.

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DIED.

COWAN—At Savannah, Ga., at 11 A. M., November 4th, 1915, Mrs. Sarah S. Cowan, widow of the late D. S. Cowan, of this city. Funeral notice later. (advertisement.)

The Man in the Tower Watches the Rivalry

RIVALRY everywhere throughout the great city — rivalry in college sports, rivalry in business, rivalry in love, rivalry wherever special favor is to be bestowed.

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100 Men's and Young Men's Suits, formerly sold from \$15.00 to \$25.00, will be closed out at \$10.00, while they last. Sizes from 32 to 48. These Suits will be put on sale Saturday, October 30th.

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NEWS OF A DAY FROM THE STATE'S CAPITAL

State School for Blind Celebrates 70th Birthday

Governor Craig and Superintendent Bledsoe, of Maryland, Among the Speakers—Joe Underwood's Successor Appointed.

(Special Star Correspondence.)
Raleigh, N. C., Nov. 4.—Governor Craig issued a commission this afternoon to R. T. Claywell, of Morganton, as a member of the State Board of Elections, to succeed Joseph B. Underwood, of Fayetteville, who has resigned on account of becoming postmaster at Fayetteville.

In bringing salutation on the part of the people of the State to the faculty and students of the State School for the Blind this morning for the celebration of the 70th anniversary of the school, Governor Craig treated enthusiastically the progress the State has made in general educational work and in special education for those handicapped by blindness and other defects. Superintendent John F. Bledsoe, of the Maryland School for the Blind, gave a splendid address on "The Education of the Blind." He also brought greetings from Maryland.

The celebration was interesting in every detail of the program, which had been arranged by Superintendent Jno. E. Ray and Chairman J. E. Pogue, of the board of trustees. There were greetings from the educational forces of the State through State Superintendent of Public Instruction J. V. Joyner; from the faculty and students of the State Normal at Greensboro, by Pres. J. M. Foust; from the A. & M. College, by President D. H. Hill; and from the East Carolina Teacher Training School, by President R. H. Wright. The latter extended greetings from a "seven years young" institution to one "seventy years young."

Letters of greeting were read from President Graham, of the State University, Secretary of the Navy Josephus Daniels, and Helen Keller. Chairman Joseph E. Pogue, of the board of trustees, gave a comprehensive history of the founding and the growth of the State School for the Blind.

Funeral of Mrs. Hoke.
The funeral of Mrs. Lydia A. Hoke was held from the Church of the Good Shepherd at 11 o'clock this morning and the interment was in the Hoke lot in Oakwood cemetery by the side of her late distinguished husband, Gen. R. F. Hoke, who at the time of his death had the distinction of being the youngest living general of the Confederate army. There was a large attendance for the funeral service and many and very handsome floral tributes attested the love and esteem in which Mrs. Hoke was held.

TRAIN SEARCHED AT MAGNOLIA.

For Pullman Porter Wanted on Charge of Indecent Act.

(Special Star Correspondence.)
Magnolia, N. C., Nov. 4.—The morning passenger train from Norfolk to Wilmington, due here about 8 o'clock, was delayed here this morning about 10 minutes while Policeman J. E. Cavanaugh looked through the train for W. S. Anderson, colored, said to be a Pullman porter between Wilmington and Washington, D. C. There is a warrant out here for the arrest of Anderson in which he is charged with indecent and immoral conduct, which he is alleged to have committed while passing through this town on A. C. L. train No. 42, about 8:30 o'clock on the night of November 1. Anderson was not found this morning, but other means will be tried to bring him to trial here. The people here are right much stirred up over Anderson's act.

MEETS NEXT AT KNOXVILLE.

Appalachia Presbyterian Synod to Adjourn Sessions Today.
Bristol, Tenn., Nov. 4.—Knoxville was today chosen as the meeting place for the second session of the Synod of Appalachia, the date to be decided on later. Rev. Frank D. Bunt, of Atlanta, Ga., was elected synodical evangelist and will enter on his work at an early date.

The report of the committee on systematic beneficence showed that \$35,825 had been collected within the bounds of the synod for all purposes. The synod will adjourn tomorrow. The ministers and laymen tonight visited Stonewall Jackson Institute at Abingdon, Va.

CHARGED WITH INFANTICIDE

Bryant Woman at Wilson Held; Confesses the Killing.

(Special Star Telegram.)
Wilson, N. C., Nov. 4.—The discovery of a dead infant in the garden in the rear of a house on East Nash street late this afternoon led to an investigation. Sudie Bryant, living in the house, confessed to being the mother of the child, and tells that the child was born last night. The head of the infant was crushed, and after the examination of the body by a physician no said that the child was killed after birth, the woman admitted that she had killed the infant. She is under guard until she becomes able to be taken to jail.

BION BUTLER IN GOLDSBORO

Has Secured About Half of the 100 Fifty Dollar Memberships.

(Special Star Correspondence.)
Goldsboro, N. C., Nov. 4.—Mr. Bion H. Butler, held secretary of the North Carolina State bureau of publicity, is in Goldsboro for a day or two in the interest of the organization.

Mr. Butler announces that so far over 50 members have joined the organization, all of them men of foremost place in the business affairs of the State, and he hopes to add several in Goldsboro. Membership fees are fixed at various figures ranging from \$5 to \$100, but an effort is being made particularly to secure 100 members at \$50 each to give the movement a substantial start. About half of these are already enrolled.

PETITION IN BANKRUPTCY

Filed by Grover Modlin, Rocky Mount

(Special Star Telegram.)
Raleigh, N. C., Nov. 4.—A voluntary petition in bankruptcy was filed here today by Grover B. Modlin, of Rocky Mount, Merchant, who states his liabilities at \$10,075 and assets at \$4,035. Of the assets \$1,000 is open store accounts.

THEATRICAL

Today the Royal presents what is positively the greatest Paramount feature yet presented at that beautiful photoplay house, presenting the noted dramatist, Cyril Maude, star of "Grumpy," in Ibsen's famous and immortal drama, "Peer Gynt."

"Peer Gynt" was the crowning achievement of Henrik Ibsen, the world-famous Norwegian author, and it is destined to be the crowning achievement of the Oliver Morosco Photoplay Company who produced it for the first time in pictures. The chance to show Peer upon a real storm-swept sea, Anitra dancing in a real desert and the other characters in their actual environments, makes the production of "Peer Gynt" the nearest approach to what the great author actually saw in his imagination that has ever been presented.

Cyril Maude, the greatest character actor on the stage today, gives a portrayal of Peer that bids fair to become one of the traditions of modern acting. He has established a high American reputation for two seasons, and in Great Britain he is a national idol and is the owner of "The Playhouse" in London.

The story of "Peer Gynt"—of his banishment for "bride-theft"—of his peripety which attends him and which

rus, sure to meet with immediate approval anywhere.

Prices will be from 25 cents to \$1. Tickets will be placed on sale Monday morning at 11 o'clock.

Marie Tempest at Bijou.

Marie Tempest, perhaps the best known comedienne on either side of the pond, makes her picture debut in the great Broadway Universal Feature "Mrs. Plumm's Pudding" at the Bijou today, supported by a great cast of stars.

Miss Tempest has to her credit the starring roles in nearly 50 metropolitan successes, her greatest hits being in "English Nell," "Casta," "The Marriage of Kitty," "Vanity Fair," all of which vehicles she was starting in on Broadway and abroad. Her appearance in a moving picture comedy marks an event in theatrical circles, and the vehicle in which she appears is spectacular in the extreme. It tells an uproariously funny story of a penniless but self-reliant widow whose home is blown sky-high one day by an oil gusher. "Mrs. Plumm" loses her house and some heirlooms in the accident, but her property nets her nearly \$7,000,000 and thereafter she travels on the sunny side of Easy Street. Her ups and downs in so-called society are screamingly funny.

W. Grahame Browne, Miss Tempest's leading man, is one of England's foremost actors. He first appeared on the London stage in "The Reckoning" in 1895 and later toured



Starring in Ibsen's Immortal Romance, "Peer Gynt" at the Royal.

he lavishes upon beautiful women—of his five great love episodes—is too well known to need repetition. He is supported by the greatest cast of beautiful women ever seen in one photoplay, including Myrtle Stedman, Fanny Stockbridge, Mary Reubens, Winnifred Bryson, Evelyn Duncan and Kitty Stevens, also Herbert Standing, Charles Ruggles and William Desmond.

A celebrated composer has written special music for this production, comprising a volume of more than 100 pages, containing original music as well as adaptations from popular melodies. This music has been obtained and will all be presented with the picture on the wonderful Seaburg pipe organ and motion picture orchestra by Prof. Schweinsberg, something that Wilmington has never before witnessed.

"The Smart Set."
That remarkable organization of colored singers, dancers, comedians and funmakers, known as "The Smart Set Company," will be the next attraction

Europe. His first appearance in America was with Olga Nothorole and has since appeared in more than a half hundred big American and English productions, playing opposite Miss Tempest.

Pretty Violet MacMillan, Eddie Lyons, Lee Moran and Jean Hathaway are among the Universal "regulars" who play roles in this great comedy, which gives Bijou patrons some old favorites, as well as introducing two of the world's foremost stage stars. This is presented under the personal guarantee of the management to be absolutely great.

CHARGE STEALING BICYCLE.

Young White Man of Goldsboro Arrested for Mount Olive Theft.

(Special Star Correspondence.)
Mt. Olive, N. C., Nov. 4.—George Stone, a young white man, about 23 years of age, charged with stealing a bicycle from W. T. Bell, a local bicycle dealer, a few days ago, was finally lo-



The Great Universal-Broadway Feature—Bijou Today.

at the Academy on next Wednesday. The offering will be entitled, "George Washington, Bullion Abroad," a new three act musical comedy, with Salem Tutt Whitney in the leading role. Whitney will be supported by a company of thirty-five people, including J. Homer Tutt and Blanche Thompson, and Hattie Ackers and others. The production as usual will be unique in the way of songs and other features, besides the singing and dancing cho-

cated and arrested in Goldsboro Tuesday. The authorities here being notified, Deputy Sheriff D. G. Rhodes was sent for him, and after a preliminary hearing, Stone was bound over to the county court, where his case will come up next Monday.

"Peer Gynt."
Ibsen's immortal love drama, with specially composed music—Royal today.

MILITARY DAY PERMANENT

FEATURE OF THE STATE FAIR

In Recommendation of Capt. Langdon, Randolph Election Case.

(Special Star Telegram.)
Washington, D. C., Nov. 4.—Military Day at the North Carolina State Fair is to be a permanent feature of the fair if the recommendation of Capt. Russell C. Langdon, formerly inspector of the State militia, is adopted. In a letter to Adjutant General Laurence Young, Captain Langdon urges General Young to make military day permanent and do all in his power to encourage the militiamen to take part in this programme.

During the recent fair eleven companies took part in the exercises and paid their own expenses, and, according to Captain Langdon, the showing the men made is a great credit to the State.

Important developments in the Randolph county election case are expected within the next few days. It is understood the documents are about ready and will be filed with Attorney General Gregory early next week.

P. R. A.

GERMANY DENIES ASKING FOR

RECALL OF MINISTER WHITLOCK

His Personality and Activity Have Never Caused Disaffection.

Berlin, Nov. 4. (Wireless to Sayville.)

—The Overseas News Agency gives out the following:

"Foreign newspapers report that the German government asked the withdrawal of the American minister at Brussels, Brand Whitlock. These reports are absolutely untrue. The fact is, the American minister is on leave of absence because of failing health."

"The German government has had no reason to ask for the withdrawal of Mr. Whitlock, since his personality and his personal activity have never caused disaffection."

Toledo, O., Nov. 4.—A great reception is planned here for Brand Whitlock, former mayor of Toledo, now American minister to Belgium, who has notified the State Department that he will depart soon for home. A delegation will go to New York to meet the minister.

AMERICAN AGENCIES IN BRITAIN

WILL HAVE TO PAY INCOME TAX

Order Made to Include Money Returned to United States.

London, Nov. 4.—The chancellor of the exchequer, Reginald McKenna, today promulgated an order under which agencies of American mercantile firms operating in Great Britain will be compelled to pay an income tax on the basis of their total earnings in Great Britain, including money returned to the United States.

Hitherto these agencies have only paid an income tax on the profits expended in this country. The new tax will hit some agencies very hard and may have the effect of discouraging the importation of what in war time are considered luxuries that cause an unfavorable trade balance. Armour & Company, the Standard Oil Company and similar firms, duly incorporated here and paying an income tax as such, will not be affected by the new ruling.

DIED OF DIPHTHERIA

Little Gertrude Powell, Aged Four, of Warsaw, Passes Away.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Warsaw, Nov. 4.—Little Gertrude Powell, age four years, died at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Powell, near Warsaw, Tuesday afternoon, of diphtheria. Interment was in the family burial lot Wednesday afternoon at four o'clock. Much sympathy is felt for the bereaved parents, especially, as they have another child ill of the same malady.

DEATHS MAY REACH 16.

Four Passengers and Four of Santa Clara's Crew Still Missing.

Marshfield, Ore., Nov. 4.—Four passengers and four members of the crew of the steamer Santa Clara, wrecked Tuesday at the entrance to Coos Bay, were still unaccounted for tonight. If it shall develop that they were lost the death list will total 16.

Wrestling Tonight.

Olson vs. Hanson, tonight, Woolwin Hall. (advertisement.)

REMARKABLE

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Shamrock, Mo.—"I feel it my duty to tell the public the condition of my health before using your medicine. I had falling, inflammation and congestion, female weakness, pains in both sides, backaches and bearing down pains, was short of memory, nervous, impatient, passed sleepless nights, and had neither strength nor energy. There was always a fear and dread in my mind, I had cold, nervous, weak spells, hot flashes over my body. I had a place in my right side that was so sore that I could hardly bear the weight of my clothes. I tried medicines and doctors, but they did me little good, and I never expected to get out again. I got Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and Blood Purifier, and I certainly would have been in grave or in an asylum if your medicines had not saved me. But now I can work all day, sleep well at night, eat anything I want, have no hot flashes or weak, nervous spells. All pains, aches, fears and dreads are gone, my house, children and husband are no longer neglected, as I am almost entirely free of the bad symptoms I had before taking your remedies, and all is pleasure and happiness in my home."

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Mrs. Norman Galt, the President's Fiancee, Cynosure of All Eyes--A Woman of Rare Personal Charm, Intellect and Local and Business Ability--Family Old Virginia One.

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WHO and WHAT and WHERE is Mrs. Edith Bolling Galt, of Washington, D. C., fiancée of the President of the United States and "first lady of the land-elect?" asks practically every woman—and not a few men—in the land during these strenuous engagement days when the eyes of the entire nation threaten to be permanently crossed from an effort to focus them simultaneously on the Executive Mansion and the comfortable looking residence where the prospective bride makes her home.

"Is she pretty? Is she young? How did the President meet her? Does she care for society? And what will she do with her jewelry business?" are among the countless queries which the coming marriage of the two whose daily doings almost take precedence in the papers over the European war.

A Practical Woman.

To answer them systematically then, Mrs. Galt is the widow of Norman Galt, who belonged to a very substantial Washington family whose jewelry shop has stood throughout the country for all that was reliable in silver and gold and precious stones.

That she is a splendid business woman was evidenced when, at the death of her husband about eight years ago she proceeded to assume virtual management of "Galt's" and to carry it on most successfully. Although employing a manager, Mrs. Galt, until the great calcium glare of publicity was turned upon her every move—gave personal attention to the books of the firm, going downtown every weekday morning in her now famous little electric for that purpose.

Her house on Twentieth street is a four-story, bay window type with nothing in its exterior except a graceful climbing vine, to distinguish it from several others in the block—that is, until her engagement to the President was announced. Nowadays it is most generally distinguished during the afternoon and evening calling hours and the tea hours and dinner hours and morning driving hours by the presence of White House motor cars, and at all hours by a fringe of ever varying curious humanity, which "watches and waits" in perfect accord with the Chief Executive's own policy and speculates and wonders and is sometimes rewarded by a vision of Mrs. Galt in one of her numerous perfect symphonies of grey, or black, or mauve, as she descends the steps, gallantly aided by the President.



Mrs. Norman Galt, the President's Fiancee.

Did Her Own Marketing.

The very early, curbstone crowd obtained—until the past week—a much more democratic view of her as she came out unattended, entered her electric and started off for Centre Market to buy the table supplies. For Mrs. Galt had lived so long the simple, unostentatious, unfashionable life of a brainy woman of affluence (all accounts agree that her fortune is about \$300,000) who chose her friends because they were agreeable rather than for political, financial or social reasons, such as actuate a number of hostesses in Washington, that she has found it difficult to accustom herself to changed conditions.

Formerly if she cared especially for a frock—and what woman is there from queen to scullery maid who does not have such preferences? she could just wear it all she wanted but now, when each costume in which she appears is telegraphed in every direction to the land's end and it becomes necessary to give more thought to clothes than a woman of Mrs. Galt's intellect would otherwise think worth while.

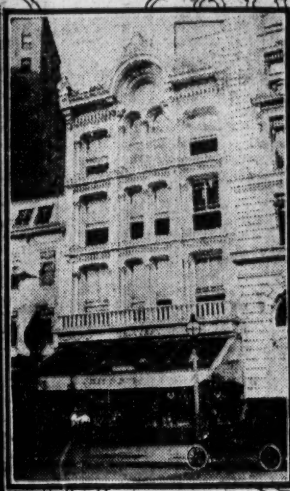
Luckily for her she was born with a gift for dressing. She knows by instinct what best suits her gracious style and, having been one of a Southern family early learned enough about sewing to be perfectly well aware of the cut and fit and texture and ensemble of a toilette.

Handsome, Well Groomed.

But clothes do not make Mrs. Galt; she has personality and with her abundance of glistening brown hair, limpid blue eyes and well proportioned figure rather lends distinction to her clothes.

She is decidedly good looking with an exquisite complexion and nice teeth and a lovely neck and arms. There is about her an atmosphere of "homeliness" and of an even, equable temperament and utter lack of nervousness. The many people in Washington who have been wondering how Mrs. Galt will acquit herself at the formal White House affairs should know that she will be dignified and thoroughly at ease at all times.

As to the circumstances of when and how President Wilson became acquainted with his future wife there is



The Galt Jewelry Store on Pennsylvania Ave., Washington, D.C.



Residence of Mrs. Galt, 1308 Twentieth St. N.W., Washington, D.C.

such a varying collection of theories as to choose from that the real facts must remain known only to the White House circle and Mrs. Galt's family. Some have it that they met last autumn and immediately became good friends; others insist that while Miss Wilson and Miss Helen Bones met Mrs. Galt then, the President only came to know her in the spring.

Whether the introduction was made at the Galt home or whether at the White House is also matter for conjecture. All that really matters being that they met, they loved and they are to marry. One point well worth consideration is that the bride-to-be is setting a fashion many future brides might well emulate—that of trying to be interested in whatever appeals to her betrothed.

Her "Athletic Instructor."

Although some space writers have tried to give an impression that Mrs. Galt had gone in extensively for athletic games and sports it develops that she has been attending the baseball and learning golf only since her friendship with the President began. He has been her instructor in both those diversions and her enthusiasm is therefore all the more to be praised.

From the day the engagement was announced President Wilson and Mrs. Galt have been almost hounded by photographers and reporters and friends and the curious. They have motored to quaint Little Harper's Ferry for a dinner at an Inn and to Emmitsburg, Maryland, to lunch with Mrs. Galt's brother-in-law, Sterling Galt. They went with members of both families to New York where a perfectly wonderful engagement ring was purchased and they motored about that Mecca of all lovers—Riverside Drive and the Park; then they rode in a private car to Philadelphia and saw a World's Series baseball game,

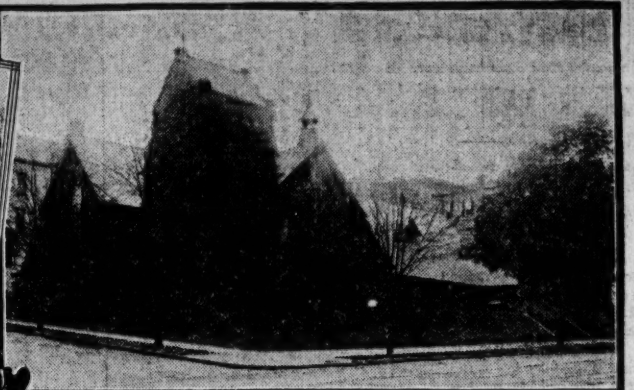
while a goodly slice of the population saw and cheered them and even heroes of the diamond had to take second place in their hours of glory while the cameras snap shot and focussed the next "Presidents" and her beaming fiancée. There have been numerous theatre parties where the happy distinguished pair signified the proverbial lovers' dislike for publicity by preferring seats in the audience rather than a conspicuous box, and where the future Mrs. Wilson received a promise of her coming exalted station when the house rose en masse at her entrance and the orchestra played the national anthem.

Ideal Summer Home.

Every engaged man longs to lay the world at the feet of his beloved, but it has been given to President Wilson to accomplish it. This winter the representatives of the world's rulers will pay official homage to the now Mrs. Galt, she will take precedence over every other woman in Washington and in the land; where she goes there will be Society. The mere fact of the President's car standing before her house sets it above and apart from all other houses.

A veritable palace of a summer home awaits her down by the ocean the next warm season. "Shadow Lawn," at Elberon, which New Jersey admirers of President Wilson have placed at his disposal has a history—it cost even more in the building than its rich owner had anticipated. The interior furnishings represent perfect taste, an international search and a goodly fortune.

Every day Mrs. Galt receives a bunch of rare purple or mauve orchids from the White House conservatories and every day she wears them. There again she is honored beyond the woman who can only have roses or violets, but there also her fine per-



St. Margaret's Episcopal Church, where Mrs. Galt is a Communicant.

ceptions are revealed—for she sacrifices all color schemes of gowns and hats to these flowers—making the clothes merely neutral backgrounds for the bouquets.

At the series of musicals which the President's oldest daughter, Miss Margaret Wilson, is to give shortly Mrs. Galt is to receive, thus enabling her to meet gradually the merging political, fashionable and musical worlds.

Unlike other brides, who often have to sue for favor in the family of her husband-to-be, Mrs. Galt finds herself receiving every possible attention from the White House circle of relatives, for even before it became suspected that she was to be the second Mrs. Wilson they had learned to admire and like her.

"Home Town" Gifts.

Naturally Mrs. Galt has been accustomed to the very best there is in jewels and bric-a-brac and silverware and china and yet it is probable that even her satiated tastes in such things will be stimulated by the wedding presents. And one can imagine that the joint gift which residents of the little town of Wytheville, Virginia, where she was born, and Roanoke, where she often visited and went to school will have a peculiar value in her eyes.

In almost every detail circumstances seem to favor the lovely daughter of a mother who was herself a noted belle and beauty and still retains a soft loveliness of expression and profile which few elderly women possess. Instead of having to go through the ordeal of the first formal affair at the White House alone Mrs. Galt will have the consolation of several other feminine debutantes.

Mrs. McAdoo, daughter of President Wilson and wife of the Secretary of the Treasury, will make her initial appearance as one of "the Cabinet ladies" her mourning last winter having prevented her appearance at any State functions. Mrs. Lansing, wife of the Secretary of State, will for the first time be in the receiving line as her husband was not appointed until mid-summer.

Mrs. Gregory, wife of the new Attorney-General, is also in the official debutante class so they will share qualms and good looks and admiration and reputations for smart dressing.

No "left-overs" will be possible because the coming White House bride is going to have a wardrobe full of quiet, elegant, well chosen costumes, always with every harmonious accessory

that simply demands an equal perfection from those about her.

Devout Episcopalian.

Being a devout Episcopalian, while the President is a Presbyterian, many have wondered by which faith the ceremony would be solemnized. Those who have observed the devoted gallantry of the Chief Executive are not wondering at all—they simply KNOW which it will be.

Until about a month ago Mrs. Galt was a communicant of Saint Thomas Episcopal church, but suddenly left there and became a member of the congregation of Saint Margaret's, a small vine-covered structure at the corner of Connecticut avenue and Bancroft street. It is a very fashionable and conservative congregation, and it is generally believed that Mrs. Galt plans to be married there.

If the wishes of two young girls are carried out the wedding ring will be fashioned from a solid gold bar which they brought from their native State of California and gave to President Wilson with the request that it be used for that purpose.

One of Nine Children.

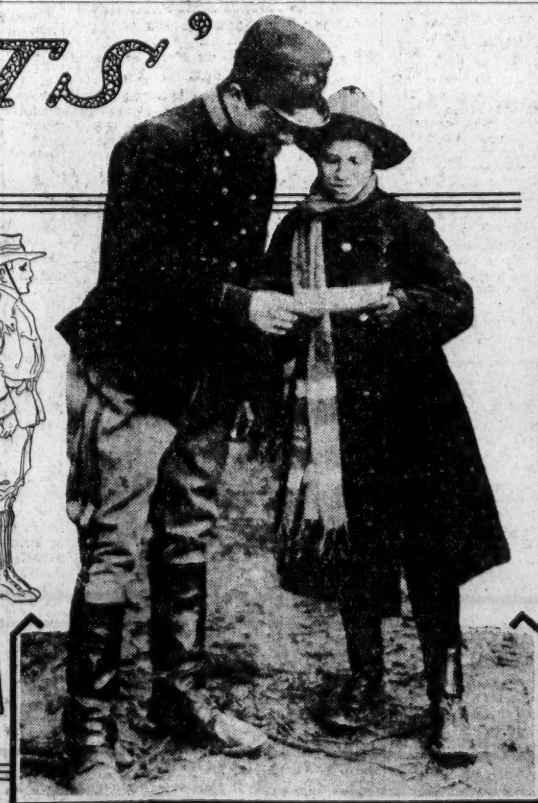
The bride-elect is one of nine children, having three sisters and five brothers. Three of the latter reside in Washington. John Randolph Bolling and Julian B. Bolling are connected with the Galt jewelry firm, and Richard Wilmer Bolling being in the real estate business. Rolf E. Bolling, another brother, lives in Panama, where he is the resident manager of a Branch of a Washington National Bank. Dr. William E. Bolling, of St. Louis, is a brother, and the sisters are Mrs. Alexander E. Galt, whose husband was a cousin of the late Norman Galt, and it was while visiting her sister shortly after leaving the Powell Finishing School of Richmond that she then Miss Bolling met her first husband, Mrs. Matthew H. Maury, of Annapolis, Alabama, and Miss Bertha Bolling, of Washington, are also her sisters.

As to her age, she has been rated as every age from 38 to 45. Correspondents from Wytheville have stated that in 1891, when at a finishing school, she was 18 years old. But it is a proverb that "a woman is as old as she looks," so that establishes Mrs. Galt as having just passed her 35th birthday. Incidentally on that recent natal day the President gave her a very beautiful and costly diamond-studded wrist watch.

The Boy Scouts' Part in War



Boy Scouts in Winter Quarters near Berlin.



Belgian Boy Scout receiving a message.



Boy Scouts Guarding a Spot on the East Coast of England.

How These Boys Whose Order Stands for Peace and Good Will Are Being Used In the Interests In War.

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IN a war of any magnitude, if prolonged for any length of time, it is almost certain that draft will be made upon the youth of the land for service in his country's defence. This was true of all the great wars of Europe during the last two centuries and in Napoleon's time in the height of his military success and glory, the youth of France rushed to his colors with enthusiasm and bravery, contributing in no small degree to his many and most famous victories. This draft upon the boys was especially conspicuous in our own Civil war, where both the North

and the South yielded up, as a willing sacrifice, the flower of their budding manhood to battle for what each thought to be right and almost sacred. In those days the Boy Scout was unknown in the sense he is known today. There were boy scouts of course, but these were boys who as members of the army did scout duty for their respective regiments.

The Boy Scout of the present time is a far different individual and his mission is one of peace rather than of war—yet he has been forced into the awful conflict now raging between the civilized nations of Europe, where many of these brave lads have gone to their death in carrying out the orders of the officers.

The Boy Scout movement, which began in England only a few years ago, has spread all over the world—even to the Balkans where one finds the Roumanian boy, the Bulgarian boy and even the Turkish boy going through the same rigid training as

the youth of our own land. This training equips them to be helpful in any emergency or crisis. They are taught obedience to orders of superiors, fidelity to duty, loyalty to country, and above all, self-sacrificing devotion to those in distress or danger. These excellent qualities are developed during the formative periods of their lives and in time doing good to others becomes second nature with them.

Royal Scouts.

The Boy Scout movement has the approval of all the European Monarchs and many of the Royal children are members of the organization. The two younger sons of King George, the Crown Prince of Belgium, and Prince Humbert, the future King of Italy being, especially enthusiastic Scouts. The latter, who is the idol of the Italian people, lives up to the letter of the law to such an extent that his tutors declare that he cannot sleep until he has done his good act each day. The Little Crown Prince of Bel-

gium, too, is an ardent Scout and has had many opportunities of doing good. During the battle at Liege, and the fall of Antwerp, the Boy Scouts did yeoman service in helping the old and infirm refugees to get away from the doomed city.

German Scout.

In Germany the Boy Scout receives a military training, consequently when he reaches the age of serving his time in the German army he has learned the routine and is practically fit for active service. This training includes camp life in the snow, where they are made to endure all the hardships of a soldier's life. They cook their own food, also prepare a diet for the sick—learn to do hospital work of all kinds—indeed, so thoroughly are these boys trained that were it necessary they could do an army surgeon's first aid work in stopping bleeding from a vein or artery, internal or external, or in diagnosing the kind of fractured limb and bind-

ing it in splints.

No task is too menial for the German Boy Scout—if it comes in the line of duty to the Fatherland.

Work of English Scout.

The English Boy Scout has also been pressed into service, but only in England—for very few have crossed the channel and even those who did have seen nothing of actual warfare. More than 22,000 of these boys are doing service at present. As soon as the war cloud broke over England word was sent from the Chief Scout Sir Robert Baden Powell to every scout headquarters in the United Kingdom that all scouts would be needed in the crisis and within a week thousands of boys were eager and ready for work. All sorts of duties were assigned to the lads, such as the handing out of notices to inhabitants and other duties connected with billeting, warning, commandeering, carrying out communications by means of dispatch riding, signaling and by

wireless. In the latter, they are proficient—as this is in the regular curriculum of Scout education. It is no uncommon thing in England to see a wireless squad of Boy Scouts busy flashing out messages to headquarters that a Zeppelin has been sighted, or that a French aeroplane is coming, or that a certain dispatch has been dropped by an aircraft. They are employed in guarding and patrolling bridges and culverts and telegraph lines against damage by individual spies. They also act as guides and orderlies and to collect information as to supplies and transports. Helping families of men employed in defence duties and aiding their sick and wounded is another duty which the Scouts are carrying out under the most difficult conditions. They have also established soup kitchens for the orphans of soldiers, first-aid dressing stations, nursing stations, refugees and dispensaries. Another set of scouts do coast duty, such as guiding vessels through unbuoyed channels and assisting coast guards in their work.

Loyal French Boys.

The French Boy Scouts have been equally active and in addition to their regular duties they have collected large sums of money for the Red Cross. In this they were ably assisted by Miss Anna Held, the well-known French actress, who returned to France shortly after the war began. She at once gathered a company of Boy Scouts about her and, donning the same kind of a uniform, she marched through the streets of Paris at their head. After the parade she led them in singing patriotic French songs, which so roused the enthusiasm of the populace that they gave liberally to the fund for the care of

the wounded. Much can be said of the work of the Italian Boy Scout, who goes into the snowy Alps to succor the sick of the families of the men who are at the front, of how they seek out these poor people and oftentimes carry them for miles over the snow to a hospital, using their coats stretched on their staffs as a stretcher, and how they watch for spies and keep an eye on strangers who happen to stray into Italy.

Balkan Scouts.

The Turkish Boy Scout has his own peculiar way of doing things. Although his work has merit, it is of a different type from that of the other countries. His teachings are Mohammedan and he follows these precepts. He is intensely patriotic and he helps those who are in distress and ever since the fight of the Dardanelles began the little khaki-clad lad fed Turkish boy has been working like a Trojan, a messenger and a general helper to the Hospital Corps of his country.

Servia, Bulgaria and Roumania have boy scouts, those of the latter country being especially picturesque. The Queen of that land is deeply interested in the Scout movement and frequently goes out to see them making stretchers and carrying out first aid to the injured war.

The true Boy Scout, whatever may be his nationality, if he lives up to the rules and regulations of the order will make a good honest man. "As the twig is bent, so the tree is inclined" is an old adage which fits the Scout, for the whole system of teaching is for a useful life and the betterment of the condition of those who are less fortunate.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

COTTON MARKET UNSETTLED

January Contracts Closed at 11.74
Early Advance Was Overcome by
the Close-Spot 1.80.

New York, Nov. 4.—The cotton market was less active today and fluctuations were irregular with January contracts ranging between 11.50 and 11.65, closing at 11.74.

The general list closed steady net one point lower to two points higher. The market opened 5 to 9 points up in response to relatively steady cables and reports that the Egyptian crop was officially estimated at 4,750,000 cantars including the carry-over from last season. Reports that a prominent Chicago authority estimated the American crop at 10,572,000 bales, excluding linters may also have contributed to the early advance but these items inspired no general or aggressive demand and the market soon turned easier. The selling was encouraged by the continued good weather in the South and further reports of improving top crop prospects and prices eased off to a net loss of about 4 to 9 points during the morning with January selling off from 11.80 to 11.65, while March declined with 12.01 to 11.88 and May from 12.14 to 12.01.

The market steadied during the afternoon on covering or buying for a reaction. Trading became very quiet on a rally of some 10 to 15 points and subsequent fluctuations were narrow.

Many traders around the ring appeared to take the action of the market as indicating that scattering accounts had been pretty well evens up and predicted that there would now be more disposition to await developments in the Southern spot markets. The demand, which developed on the decline to about 12 cents for May appeared to come partly from trade sources while there was little or no talk of hedge selling at any time during the day.

Futures closed steady.
Open High Low Close
December 11.50 11.65 11.61 11.60
January 11.50 11.60 11.55 11.74
March 12.00 12.01 11.85 11.94
May 12.13 12.14 12.01 12.03
July 12.20 12.21 12.08 12.51
Spot cotton quiet; middling uplands 11.50; no sales.

THE PORT MOVEMENT.

New Orleans—Middling, 11.57; receipts, 10,444; exports, 5,555; sales, 570; stock, 254,694.
Galveston—Middling, 11.60; receipts, 3,105; sales, 400; stock, 300,601.
Mobile—Middling, 11.12; receipts, 411; sales, 75; stock, 18,471.
Savannah—Middling, 11.50; receipts, 4,943; sales, 613; stock, 207,290.
Charleston—Middling, 11.44; receipts, 1,271; exports, 6,000; stock, 38,508.
Wilmington—Receipts, 853; stock, 34,372.
Norfolk—Middling, 11.25; receipts, 5,839; sales, 1,152; stock, 63,739.
Baltimore—Exports, 1,177; stock, 2,129.
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Minor ports—Stocks, 53,613.
Total today—Receipts, 28,946; exports, 24,485; stock, 1,323,232.
Total for week—Receipts, 196,104; exports, 105,692.
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INTERIOR MOVEMENT.
Houston—Middling, 11.50; receipts, 7,811; shipments, 10,352; sales, 4,245; stock, 173,921.
Memphis—Middling, 11.75; receipts, 2,204; shipments, 5,497; sales, 550; stock, 182,232.
Augusta—Middling, 11.38; receipts, 4,392; shipments, 582; sales, 448; stock, 174,849.
St. Louis—Middling, 11.34; receipts, 3,673; shipments, 2,949; stock, 3,398.
Cincinnati—Receipts, 234; shipments, 1,554; stock, 10,647.
Little Rock—Middling, 11.88; receipts, 3,101; shipments, 92; stock, 27,024.
Dallas—Middling, 11.05.
Montgomery—Middling, 11.13.
Total today—Receipts, 28,203; shipments, 19,116; stock, 577,662.

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WHEAT PRICES WERE HIGHER

Big Export Sales Have Strengthening Effect on Market—Corn and Oats Also Close at a Gain.

Chicago, Nov. 4.—Big Export sales had a decidedly strengthening effect today on wheat. Prices closed strong, 1 1/4 to 1 1/2 @ 2c. net higher, with December at 1.05 1/2 @ 3/4 and May at 1.05 1/2 @ 3/4.

Corn finished 1/4 to 1/2 @ 3/4 c. up, and oats with a gain of 1/4 c. Provisions showed a loss of 5 @ 7 1/2 to 35. Grain and provisions closing:
Wheat—December, 1.05 1/2 @ 3/4; May, 1.05 1/2 @ 3/4.
Corn—December, 59 1/2; May, 61 1/2.
Oats—December, 28 1/2; May, 29 1/2.
Pork—December, 14.15; January, 16.80.

Lard—January, 8.97; May, 9.15.
Ribs—January, 8.87; May, 9.15.
Cash grain:
Wheat—No. 2, red, 1.13 @ 1.14; No. 3, red, 1.07 1/2 @ 1.11 1/2; No. 2, hard, nominal; No. 3, hard, 99 1/2 @ 1.04 1/2.
Corn—No. 2, yellow, 65 1/2 @ 66; No. 2, white, 65 @ 65 1/2.
Oats—No. 2, white, 36 1/2 @ 37; standard, 36 1/2.

MARINE.

Arrived.
Str. Jamestown, Capt. Hart, Georgetown, C. J. Becker, agent.

MARINE DIRECTORY.

List of Vessels in Port at Wilmington, North Carolina.

Steamers.
Str. No. 1 (Ger.), 3,289 tons, Holloch, Heide & Co.
Str. No. 2 (Ger.), 2,872 tons, Lemke, Heide & Co.
Str. No. 3 (Br.), 1,673 tons, Davies, Henry Whyte, agent.

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

(Quoted Daily by the Wilmington Chamber of Commerce.)

STAR OFFICE, Nov. 4.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Steady.

ROBIN—\$4.50, \$4.50.
CRUDE TURPENTINE—\$3.25, \$3.25.

Quotation same day last year—Spirits turpentine, 42c. Rosin, \$3.10. Turpentine, 32c. Crude turpentine, firm, \$3.25, \$3.25.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits Turpentine (—)
Rosin (—)
Crude Turpentine (—)
Receipts—Same day last year: Spirits turpentine, 6 casks; rosin, 10 barrels; tar, 83 barrels; crude turpentine, (—) barrels.

COTTON MARKET.

Market—1 1/4 c. Quotations same day last year, nominal.

Receipts—448 bales; same day last year, 1,859 bales.

Total receipts since August 1st, to date, 103,665 bales.

Total receipts to same date last year, 86,745 bales.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Atlantic Coast Line—843 bales cotton; 5 barrels rosin; 1 barrel tar; 6 barrels crude turpentine.

Seaboard Air Line—5 bales cotton; 1 barrel rosin; 1 barrel tar; 6 barrels crude turpentine.

Total—848 bales cotton; 6 barrels rosin; 7 barrels tar; 6 barrels crude turpentine.

WILMINGTON PEANUT MARKET.

(Quoted by J. S. Funchess & Co.)

Wilmington, Nov. 4.—North Carolina Peanuts—Market, new crop, steady. Fancy hand picked, 60c; No. 1, machine picked, 50c per bushel.

Virginia Peanuts—New crop, steady. Jumbo, 60c; fancy hand-picked, 65c; No. 1, machine-picked, 50c per bushel.

Spanish Peanuts—New crop, steady. No. 1, small, machine picked, 75c; Jumbo, 65c per bushel.

All receipts light.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

(Quoted by W. J. Meredith, Nov. 4.)

CORN—\$2.20 per sack.

IRISH POTATOES—80c to 90c.

SWEET POTATOES—Yams, 45c to 50c per bushel.

BEEF—Native dressed, 70c; good demand.

PORK—Small, 100lb. c. per pound.

SHEEP—Gross: Old sheep, 30c; lambs, 35c lb.

WOOL—Burry, 15 to 25c; black wool, 17 to 20c; first class white wool, 27c; free, 27c.

HIDES—Green salt, 12 @ 13c; dry, 17 @ 20c; per lb.; good demand.

NORTH CAROLINA BACON—Old hams, 20c; sides and shoulders, 18c per lb. Good demand.

BEEF—Firm, 28c per lb.; good demand.

POULTRY—Chickens, grown, 45c to 50c; spring, 15 @ 20c per head; good demand.

Turkeys, out of season.

EGGS—24c to 25c.

PETERSBURG PEANUT MARKET.

(Reported by Rodgers, Plummer & Co., Inc.)

Petersburg, Va., Nov. 4.—Spanish: Farmers' stock, Old peanuts, first quality, 80c per bu.; new, dry and clean, 75c to 80c per bu., as to quality; new, green and dirty, 40c to 60c per bu.

Virginia—Farmers' stock: Old peanuts, Fancy Jumbo, 2 1/2 c. per lb.; old, extra prime, 3c per lb.; old, fancy Jumbo, 3 1/2 c. per lb.; new, extra prime, 3c per lb.; new, prime, 2 1/2 c. per lb.; new, shell, 2 c. per lb.

COTTON SEED OIL MARKET.

New York, November 4.—Cotton seed oil was strong and higher on active buying, presumably for Wall Street and the South, light offerings of crude and covering of shorts. Closing steady, 15 to 21 points net higher. Spot, 7.60 bid; November, 7.50 @ 7.71; December, 7.60 @ 7.71; March, 7.80 @ 7.97; April, 7.89 @ 7.97; May, 7.86 @ 7.97; June, 8.00 @ 8.10. Total sales, 25,600.

NEW YORK PROVISIONS.

New York, Nov. 4.—Coffee: Rio, No. 7, 7 1/2; futures, firm; December, 7.01; May, 7.00.

Sugar—Raw, firm; centrifugal, 4.45; molasses, 9.68. Refined, steady.

Butter—Steady.

Cheese—Irregular.

MINOR STOCKS PROMINENT

War Shares Irregular and Investment Stocks Strong—Sentiment Decidedly More Cheerful.

New York, Nov. 4.—Apart from continued irregularity of war shares and the strength of investment stocks, today's active market was featured by the unusual prominence of minor low priced issues. Among the latter were numerous securities whose value is yet to be determined and in which the rise was evidently of professional origin.

Sentiment was decidedly more cheerful, the European situation, involving the fall of the Greek ministry, being ignored in further domestic advice of an encouraging character. This condition once more found its clearest reflection in better railway earnings, higher prices for Steel and Copper and resumption of dividends by industrial companies, including American cotton oil which today declared a quarterly dividend of one cent per share after an interim of over four years.

Virtually every branch of the stock list was included in today's advance, but copper was most conspicuous. Anaconda made a new record on its rise of four to six and China also rose to a new maximum on a gain of 1 to 2. Dealings in Anaconda were almost on the largest scale yet registered by that stock.

All the telegraph and telephone shares added to their recent gains. Western Union gaining three points at 90, its high figure for the last nine years, but losing much ground later on profit-taking. The war stocks were again heavy at first, but made full recovery and more in the final dealings. United States Steel, 1-1/2 to 3 1/2, but there, too, realizing gains later on profit-taking. The war stocks were again heavy at first, but made full recovery and more in the final dealings. United States Steel, 1-1/2 to 3 1/2, but there, too, realizing gains later on profit-taking. The war stocks were again heavy at first, but made full recovery and more in the final dealings. United States Steel, 1-1/2 to 3 1/2, but there, too, realizing gains later on profit-taking.

NEW YORK STOCK LIST.

Allis-Chalmers 40
American Beet Sugar 68 1/2
American Can 44
American Car and Foundry 48
American Cities, Pfd 40 1/2
American Cotton Oil 62
American Locomotive 63 1/2
American Smelting 92 1/2
American Sugar 44
American Tel. and Tel. 129 1/2
American Tobacco 23 1/2
Anaconda Copper 86
Atchafalpa 111
Atlantic Coast Line 113 1/2
Baldwin Locomotive 129 1/2
Baltimore and Ohio 95 1/2
Bethlehem Steel 44 1/2
Brooklyn Rapid Transit 91 1/2
Canadian Pacific 188 1/2
Central Leather 113 1/2
Chesapeake and Ohio 61 1/2
Chicago, Mil. and St. Paul 96 1/2
Chicago, R. I. and Pac. Ry. 19 1/2
Consolidated Gas 145 1/2
Crescent Steel 76
Erie 37 1/2
General Electric 179 1/2
General Motors 37 1/2
Great Northern, pfd 127 1/2
Illinois Central 110
International Harvester Corp. 25
Kansas City Southern 34 1/2
Lehigh Valley 83
Louisville and Nashville 130 1/2
Liggett and Myers 24 1/2
Lorillard Co. 131 1/2
Mason, Knickerbocker and P. 16 1/2
Mex. Petroleum 88 1/2
National Lead 66 1/2
New York Central 104
N. Y. N. H. and Hartford 82 1/2
Northern and Western 113 1/2
Northern Pacific 113 1/2
Pennsylvania 60 1/2
Reading 85
Rep. Iron and Steel 63 1/2
Rep. Iron and Steel, pfd 104 1/2
Seaboard Air Line 48 1/2
Seaboard Air Line, pfd 48 1/2
Stoddard Corporation 164 1/2
Southern Pacific 103 1/2
Southern Railway 28 1/2
Southern Railway, pfd 28 1/2
Tennessee Copper 82
Texas Co. 170
Texas and Pacific 15 1/2
Union Pacific 137 1/2
United States Steel 87 1/2
United States Steel, pfd 116 1/2
Utah Copper 73 1/2
Virginia-Caro. Chem. 49 1/2
Western Union 89
Westinghouse Electric 73
Great Northern Ore 50 1/2
Va. L. C. and C. 69
Wabash "B" W. L. 31 1/2

FIRE AT SOUTHPORT.

Negro Residence and Unfinished House Burned—Street Building.

Southport, N. C., Nov. 4.—This community was given a severe fright yesterday morning, when an alarm of fire brought every one out of bed, except the very early risers. The fire was located in a frame building north of the cemetery, and spreading from this to an adjoining dwelling in the course of erection, both were soon consumed.

The house in which the fire started was occupied by two colored men, who had left for work before the fire originated. It is supposed that the fire originated in a stove, as it was impossible to get near because of the heat. A few effects were pulled out of the buildings. The houses belonged to William Smith, colored, who had \$300 insurance.

The city authorities are experimenting on a section of prominent streets, testing a mixture of clay, brought here from Bolivia, about 14 miles above, here on the W. B. & S. road, and the sand found along the streets where the test of roadway is being made. It is expected that the city authorities will gradually go with the roadbuilding to most of the streets, laying a twelve foot roadway, which will be of great value to this city.

MORE THAN EVER BEFORE

Over Ten Million Pounds Tobacco Sold at Rocky Mount.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Rocky Mount, N. C., Nov. 4.—More than ten million pounds of the bright leaf had been sold on the Rocky Mount tobacco market before November 1, according to a statement just made public by the local tobacco board of trade. The exact figure of sales with the completion of those of last month was 10,077,377 pounds or just 387,477 pounds more than has ever been sold on this market before this time of the month.

Ishen's Immortal Romance.

"Peal Gyn", a Paramount Feature—Royal today. Special music.

THROUGH SLEEPING CARS, RUNNING EVERY DAY, TO ATLANTA.

Lv. Wilmington 3:45 P. M.
Lv. Atlanta 6:05 A. M.

Connects in Union Depot with the "Dixie Flyer" leaving 8:15 A. M. for Chicago and St. Louis, via Chattanooga and Nashville, and with the "South Atlantic" leaving 7:15 A. M. for Cincinnati, Louisville and Indianapolis, via Knoxville.

TO WASHINGTON AND NORFOLK.

Lv. Wilmington 6:45 P. M.
Lv. Norfolk 7:30 A. M.

Ar. Washington 7:30 A. M.
Ar. Norfolk 1:40 P. M.

Broiler-Buffet service to Washington. Dining Cars thence to New York.

ATLANTIC COAST LINE.

The Standard Railroad of the South.

ATLANTIC COAST LINE RAILROAD COMPANY.

Office of the Treasurer.

Wilmington, N. C., November 1, 1915.

The Board of Directors of Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company has declared—dividend of two and one-half per cent. on the Preferred Capital Stock of that Company, payable at the office of the Treasurer, Wilmington, N. C., on and after November 10th, 1915. The transfer books are closed from October 30th, 1915, to November 10th, 1915, both dates inclusive.

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THE WEATHER.

United States Department of Agriculture—Weather Bureau.

November 5, 1915.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending at 8 P. M., yesterday:

Temperature at 8 A. M., 44 degrees; at 5 P. M., 57 degrees; maximum, 65 degrees; minimum, 41 degrees; mean, 53 degrees.

NEW DETAILS GIVEN TESTIMONY FAVORABLE IN TRAFFIC FIGHT FOR ADMIRAL LITTLE

Rockefeller's Influence Used Over Henry M. Flagler.

TO "CRUSH" JOY LINE

More Than a Score of Letters Written by New Haven Executive Officials Read Before the Jury—Other Charges.

New York, Nov. 4.—Heretofore unpublished details of the story of the six-year traffic war between the Joy Steamship Company and the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad, which ended in the acquisition of the boat line by the New Haven in 1905, were placed before the jury today at the trial of William Rockefeller and ten other former directors of the road on the charge of violating the Sherman anti-trust law. They were contained in more than a score of letters written by New Haven executive officials, which were read into the record to show what steps the New Haven took to crush its competitor before it finally absorbed it.

The letters told how the New Haven made use of the influence of Mr. Rockefeller with the late Henry M. Flagler, his fellow director in the Standard Oil Company, to prevent the Joy Line chartering boats from the Florida East Coast Railway Company; of a concession in rates made to the American Sugar Refining Company if it would divert its shipments from the Joy Line; how the two companies temporarily buried the hatchet by entering into a secret agreement to fix rates and how the Joy Line suffered a decrease in traffic as a result.

The government had just begun through F. M. Dumbach, former president of the Joy Line, to disclose the alleged circumstances under which the line was acquired by the New Haven when the trial adjourned for the day.

Joy Line Interests "Pirates."
John M. Hall, president of the New Haven during most of the Joy Line transactions, and other authors of letters introduced today, did not mince words in their characterization of the Joy Line interests. "Pirates at the best," Hall described them in a letter to Percy R. Todd, then vice president of the New Haven. "We must all the time realize that we are dealing with cut-throats."

"Their hides will be taken off and laid out on the Long Island shore to dry," wrote R. T. Haskins, general traffic manager of the Metropolitan Steamship Line, which at that time was working in co-operation with the New Haven.

"We will take their sugar for nothing rather than let the other fellows have it," Haskins wrote in reference to American Sugar Refining Company shipments.

"We ought to keep the whole matter a secret from the public if possible," wrote Hall to Todd in regard to the agreement to which the New Haven

Help in Inspecting K-Boat Was Insufficient.

Lieutenant Childs Also Testified That Batteries Were Not Defective When the Boat Was Accepted—Other Testimony.

Boston, Nov. 4.—Hear Admiral William N. Little, retired, charged with neglect and careless methods in supervising the construction of submarine K-2 did not have sufficient help in his inspection work at the Fore River shipbuilding plant, according to Lieutenant Warren C. Childs, who testified before the court martial today. It was impossible, he said, for Admiral Little even with seven assistants to inspect every piece of metal that went into the construction of a battleship, two destroyers and three submarines which were under his charge.

Taking up the specific charge of negligence in permitting the installation of alleged defective batteries in K-2 the witness said that when the submarine was turned over to the government there were no defects in the batteries. Earlier in the day Gregory C. Davidson, vice president of the Electric Boat Company, testified that he had learned that there was trouble with the batteries and had immediately ordered it to be remedied and assured Rear Admiral Little that the company would make good any defects.

Erick J. Kowalski, superintendent of submarine boat construction at Fore River, testified that there were no defects in K-2 when she was turned over to the government. He thought that the inspection service was thorough, in fact, it was more severe than they sometimes liked.

GREEK GOVERNMENT IS DEFEATED IN CHAMBER AND CABINET RESIGNS

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With heavy losses to the Russians in killed, wounded and prisoners.

From an unofficial source it also is reported that the Russians are advancing in strong force and have captured important positions near Czeronowitza, a movement calculated more than anything else to influence Rumania.

Serbia's Continued Retirement.
The Serbians, who are making a stand in the South, where they are supported by the British and French, continue their retirement before the Austro-Germans and Bulgarians in the north and northeast. The Bulgarians are now within ten miles of Nish and are advancing northward from Uskup toward Pristina. Thus besides being in danger of losing their capital, the Serbians are threatened with being cut off from the south, and will only have one line of retreat to Montenegro. They entered into with the Joy Line to fix rates and which also restricted the line's service between New York and Providence.

TEXT OF PRESIDENT'S ADDRESS ON DEFENSE

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is not threatened from any quarter. She stands in friendly relations with all the world. Her resources are known and her self-respect and her capacity to care for her own citizens and her own rights. There is no fear amongst us. Under the new-world conditions we have become thoughtful of the things which all reasonable men consider necessary for security and self-defense on the part of every nation confronted with the great enterprise of human liberty and independence. That is all.

In the plan we propose sane and reasonable and suited to the needs of the hour? Does it not conform to the ancient traditions of America? Has any better plan been proposed than this programme that we now place before the country? In it there is no pride of opinion. It represents the best professional and expert judgment of the country. But I am not so much interested in programmes as I am in safeguarding at every cost the good faith and honor of the country. If men differ with me in this vital matter, I shall ask them to make it clear how far and in what way they are interested in making the permanent interests of the country safe against disturbance.

In the fulfillment of the programme I propose I shall ask for the hearty support of the country, of the rank and file of America, of men of all shades of political opinion. For my position in this important matter is different from that of the private individual who is free to speak his own thought and to risk his own opinions in this matter. We are here dealing with things that are vital to the life of America itself. In doing this I have tried to purge my heart of all personal and selfish motives. For the time being, I speak as the trustee and guardian of a nation's rights, charged with the duty of speaking for that nation in matters involving her sovereignty—a nation too big and generous to be exacting and yet courageous enough to defend its rights and the liberties of its people wherever assailed or invaded. I would not feel that I was discharging the solemn obligation I owe the country were I not to speak in terms of the deepest solemnity and the urgency and necessity of preparing ourselves to guard and protect the rights and privileges of our people, our sacred heritage of the fathers who struggled to make us an independent nation.

ALIEN SYMPATHIES SPOKEN.

The only thing within our own borders that has given us grave concern in recent months has been the voice of Americans which were not indeed and in truth Americans, but which spoke alien sympathies, which came from men who loved other countries better than they loved America, men who were partisans of other causes than that of America and had forgotten that their chief and only allegiance was to the great government under which they live. These voices have not been many, but they have been very loud and very clamorous. They have proceeded from a few who were bitter and who were grievously misled. America has not opened its doors in vain to men and women out of other nations. The vast majority of those who have come to take advantage of her hospitality have united their spirits with hers as well as their fortunes. These men who speak alien sympathies are not their spokesmen but are the spokesmen of small groups whom it is high time that the nation should call to a reckoning. The chief thing necessary in America in order that she should let all the world know that she is prepared to maintain her own great position is that the real voice of the nation should sound forth unmistakably and in majestic volume, in the deep unison of a common, unhesitating national feeling. I do not doubt that upon the first opportunity, upon the first definite challenge, that voice will speak forth in tones which no man can doubt and with commands which no man dare gainsay or resist.

May I not say, while I am speaking of this, that there is another danger that we should guard against? We should rebuke not only manifestations of racial feeling here in America where there should be none, but also every manifestation of religious and sectarian antagonism. It does not become America that within her borders, where every man is free to follow the dictates of his conscience and worship God as he pleases, men should raise the cry of church against church. To do that is to strike at the very spirit and heart of America. We are a God-fearing people. We agree to differ but we do not quarrel. Let us lift our eyes to the great truths of life yet to be conquered in the interests of righteous peace. Come, let us renew our allegiance to America, conserve her strength in its purity, make her chief among those who serve mankind, self-reverenced, self-commended, mistress of all forces of quiet counsel, strong above all others in good will and the might of invincible justice and right.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER

Absolutely Pure
No Alum—No Phosphate

are fighting severe rearward actions, nevertheless, and are leaving little or nothing behind for the invaders.

The fighting continues in the Champagne district of France, with the fortunes of war fluctuating.

While the Italians persist in their offensives, the Austrians claim that no progress has been made by their adversaries.

DISPUTE OVER REMARK.

Venezuela Demanded Apology from War Minister Yanakitzas.

Athens, via London, Nov. 4.—Following its defeat in parliament today the cabinet resigned. The immediate cause of the defeat was a remark made by War Minister Yanakitzas, which was considered by former Premier Venizelos as insulting to the national assembly.

M. Venizelos demanded an immediate apology.

Premier Zaimis thereupon declared the government stood behind the war minister and demanded a vote of confidence. The vote was 147 to 114 against the cabinet.

Premier Zaimis has been in office less than a month, having been asked by King Constantine to form a cabinet after the resignation of Premier Venizelos on October 8th.

The retirement of M. Venizelos was considered by former Premier Venizelos as insulting to the national assembly.

M. Venizelos resigned the premiership with the king on a similar question of foreign policy but won a pronounced victory in the general elections of June and returned to office in August.

His majority in parliament remained intact after his retirement last month and the Zaimis ministry was able to maintain itself before parliament only by the acquiescence of M. Venizelos.

In a speech on October 13, the former premier said Greece should not allow Bulgaria to crush Serbia.

VILLA REPORTS FOUR AMERICANS KILLED

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be destroyed at Cananea and my word is good.

From officials of the company it was learned today that the Cananea Consolidated Copper Company had paid \$25,000 for immunity. Other concerns were also levied, but no figures were obtainable on the amounts of the contributions.

Will Search for Bodies.
Regarding preparation for the lives of the Americans reported killed, General Funston, when told of their death, is said to have informed inquirers that all he could do was to obtain permission from the United States army to search the battlefield for the bodies. If the bodies are found, a protest would be filed with Calles against the killing by his troops of non-combatants, and against the firing on the Red Cross flag, Funston said.

DEATH OF FOUR CONFIRMED.
Villa Declares Americans Were Killed by Calles' Fire.

Douglas, Ariz., Nov. 4.—Confirmation of the killing of four Americans near Agua Prieta was received here today in a report from General Villa, who said General Villa had received the information to American officers there. Villa declared that the Americans were killed by Calles' fire while they were aiding wounded.

The men responded to Villa's message sent to Cananea for medical assistance and were killed while waiting for the arrival of the ambulance.

Search of the Villa hospital. United States army officers are arranging for civilians to cross the border to identify and return the bodies.

CARRANZA TROOPS OFFENDERS.

Were Main Ones to Fire Across Border, Says General Funston.

Washington, Nov. 4.—Carranza troops were the main offenders in firing across the border in the battle at Agua Prieta, according to a report from Major General Funston, received today at the War Department. The general says both Calles and Villa did all they could to prevent injury to American lives and property.

"I could not in fairness have opened fire on Villa without treating Calles the same," he added.

General Funston's report dated last night, described conditions as satisfactory and added: "I consider the immediate danger passed." He described a conference between General Funston and Villa at the border of which General Funston said Villa's attitude was quite satisfactory.

Wrestling Tonight.
Olson vs. Hanson, tonight, Woolvin Hall. (advertisement.)

SAYS GERMANY HAS NOT MET CONTRACT

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credits in marks payable at the Reichsbank, recoverable three months after the conclusion of peace and the payment of which on maturity involves the parties in the risk of exchange to an extent which can be appreciated by all.

M. Castelein reviews a series of formal engagements by which the Germans and Belgians regulated the matter of requisitions, stating that at first the Germans made many requisitions forcibly in a summary manner. Then in December, the war line was fixed at 35,000,000 francs monthly for a series of twelve months. The Belgians accepted this figure after securing a formal promise of prompt settlement of the requisitions, the sum was raised to 40,000,000 francs with prompt settlement stipulated.

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CONKEY SAYS:

DON'T WORRY—Don't take chances when your show birds contract colds or roup. CONKEY'S ROUP PILLS relieve such cases quickly. Try them. Dealers Everywhere.

PACKERS COMPLAIN OF INTERFERENCE

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the dock were, therefore, not subject to seizure. Great Britain notified the steamship lines, notably the Scandinavian-American line, that such goods so delivered in their ships, the Oscar III, Frederick VIII and others, must be reloaded on other steamers and returned to Great Britain for the express purpose of placing the goods in prize court as though they had been seized on the high seas whilst in transit.

"Representations have been made to the State Department today in the hope that it will notify that such further unlawful interference with trade between the United States and the European neutral countries will not be tolerated."

Raleigh, N. C., Nov. 4.—Governor Craig left this afternoon for Asheville where he will spend Friday and go out to Bear Wallow Saturday to deliver the address in connection with the celebration of the opening of the Hickory Nut Gap section of the great Charlotte-Asheville highway.

The Governor believes this occasion will mark a new era in the development of Western Carolina and presages great development in roads and in the general prosperity of the rural sections of Western Carolina.

CONKEY SAYS:

DON'T WORRY—You have canker-birds in your flock? Use CONKEY'S CANKER SPECIAL and wipe out this disease. Kills the canker, saves the eye. Dealers Everywhere.

Business Locals

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AUTOMOBILE FOR SALE IN GOOD condition. Address P. O. Box 214, City. no5-2t

WOOD, WOOD, NICE DRY PINE, CUT stove length, \$1.00 per load, delivered; same wood, four feet long, \$2.50 per cord, delivered. Phone 1914. no5-1t

THE BEST STEP TOWARDS SUCCESS can be taken tomorrow at Wright's Real Estate office by subscribing to shares in the new series of the Co-operative Building and Loan Association, J. H. Hutton, Pres.; Thos. H. Wright, Secy. 124 Princess street. no5-1t

WAKE UP! EVERYBODY ELSE IS waking. The hard times are over. The good times are here. Printing, typewriting, Direct Mail advertising, Multigraph circulars, Notaries Public, Harris Typewriting and Advertising Co. oc10-su,we,fr-tf

GOOD MORNING! HAVE YOU USED Direct Mail advertising? If you haven't you've lost money. They are the finest medium for solicitation obtainable. Harris Typewriting and Adv. Co. oc11-m,w,f-tf

BRIGHT, ACTIVE BOY, 15 TO 17 years of age, who wants to learn good trade; no bad habits; fair education and willing to work; preferably with some experience around printing office; may learn something to his advantage by addressing in own handwriting, "Lino," care Star. no4-4t

MECHANICS' HOME ASSOCIATION opens New Series B and L stock January 1st. "Old and Strong." Wait and take stock then. Walker Taylor, president; W. M. Cumming, secretary. no4-3t

DIAMONDS, WATCHES, LA VALIERS, cameo, brooches, and a full line of solid gold jewelry on display at Uncle Charles' Pawn Shop, No. 6 South Front street; Phone 642. no4-1t

WANTED — SHINGLES, LATHS and lumber. Orders always on hand. Write what you have, giving cash price. Saw mills wanting orders, write me. James M. Calk, Goddard, N. C. no4-6t

WANTED — COMPETENT ROUGH and dressed pine inspector, who can also intelligently direct a gang of lumber handlers. Hilton Lumber Co., Wilmington, N. C. no4-3t

COME AND TASTE SOME OF THE 67 varieties at our store on Saturday, Nov. 6th. Will have a man from Heinz' demonstrate their different dishes and will tell you how to prepare them. Chicken and lobster salad for Sunday and everything in the line of good eating. May Brothers, 24 North Front street; Phone 1322. no4-1t

FOR SALE — TOMATOES FOR PICKLING, 50c per peck. Glenwood Dairy; Phone 1760. no4-3t

FOR RENT — 512 NORTH THIRD street, partly furnished, two blocks from A. C. L. Has every modern convenience. Fourteen rooms, just the place for a good boarding house; \$45 per month. See M. C. Darby & Co., Real Estate, 114 Princess street. no3-1t

DON'T PAY AGENTS TWO OR THREE prices for state fruit, shade and pecan trees, strawberry or hedge plants, rose bushes, etc., that have probably lain for weeks at delivery point when you can buy fresh stock direct from our nursery at wholesale rates. Plant now. Catalog free. Department C, Continental Plant Co., Kittrell, N. C. oc23-tu,th-10t

FRESH FISH ROE — COUNTRY EGGS. Very best of head, veal, lamb and pork. Our all pork sausage are "all to the good." Nice spinach, celery and lettuce. Home canned corned beef, the best yet. Spare ribs and back bone. Phone No. 72. Barton's Meat Market, 115 Market street. no3-1t

WANTED — MY FRIENDS AND former patrons to know that I am again open for business at No. 32 South Second street. Let me do your stove work. Fire boards reasonable. W. B. Klander, Phone 431. no2-1t

FOR RENT — SIX ROOM BUNGALOW. New, with all improvements. Located Sixteenth and Grace streets. Large lot. Phone 1000. November 1. W. A. McGill, Masonic Temple Bldg. oc17-1t

BOYS WANTED — 50 BOYS WANTED to make up our new residential part of the city for Saturday Evening Post customers. Sample copies supplied. Apply to J. T. Gordon, 17 Princess street. oc27-1t

THE BROOKLYN B & L ASSOCIATION series will open Saturday, November 6th, 1915. Books are now open for stock at No. 210 Princess street. We want you as a shareholder. oc 31-9t

\$100.00 IS WHAT YOU WILL GET for ten shares in the Brooklyn B & L at maturity. Subscribe for stock now—over phone 65. Geo. B. Applewhite, Sec. and Treas. oc 31-9t

FOR RENT — 705 NORTH THIRD ST. 8 room, bath, electric lights, in good order, \$17.00 per month. See M. C. Darby & Co., Real Estate. oc 31-1t

CHEAP WOOD! — GREEN SLABS, twenty-five cents a load, at the mill. Limited time only. Chadbourne Lumber Co. oc31-3t

THE RURAL BUILDING AND LOAN Association will open a new series, next Saturday. The safest and most systematic way to save money to buy your home. You only pay 25c. per week. Matures a series, average, 320 weeks. James Owen Kelly, Sec. and Treas. oc31-7t

MRS. CHARLES D. FOARD OFFERS for sale immediately several valuable pieces of property, among them the handsome home on 5th avenue; also home at Wrightsville and many other tracts of land on Middle Sound, known as Iron Spring Neck; three lots on Market street; also another valuable piece, just on this side Sunset Park. Talk with owners. oc27-10t

IT IS HIGHLY IMPORTANT TO GET your papers probated right. We have at Wrightsville and know their business. Harris Typewriting and Advertising Co. oc10-1t

WANTED — TO BUY, FINE LOGS, delivered by rail or water to Angola Lumber Company's mill, J. N. Bryant. mh23-1t

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